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JAPANESE PREPARED FOR NAVAL COMPROMISE

LONG NON-STOP HOPS PLANNED

KINGSFORD SMITH'S ENDEAVOUR

LOS ANGELES TO EUROPE

U.S. FLIER TO CROSS PACIFIC

Los Angeles, Nov. 15.
There are two record-breaking flight attempts now under contemplation, the first announced by Air Commodore Sir Charles Kingsford Smith, the famous Australian pilot, the second by Monty Mason, a young American adventurer of wide experience.

Kingsford Smith, accompanied by Capt. Taylor as his relief pilot, radio operator and navigator, plans to fly from the Pacific coast across the United States and over the Atlantic to Europe, without a stop.

If the Australians accomplish this feat they will have set up a new long-distance record for sustained flight in a direct line. Presumably they would have to refuel somewhere over the Atlantic coast, for it is unlikely that they can carry sufficient petrol to carry them across a continent and an ocean.

Sir Charles says he will announce details of his plan within a few days.

CHALLENGE TO PACIFIC

Young Monty Mason says he will fly the Pacific ocean in 37 hours. This, perhaps, is one of the most adventurous trips of any ever contemplated.

Mason will take off from Los Angeles on December 1, put his nose up for Tokyo and just keep travelling.

He plans to use a secretly built machine whose cruising speed is 185 miles an hour. It is one of those long, low-winged, and almost tailless monsters, powered with motor units of sufficient pull to take the plane into an almost vertical climb, it is believed.—United Press.

SAAR GERMANS CHARGED

OFFICIALS LABELLED

TALE OF FAKED EVIDENCE

Saarbrücken, Nov. 15.
The Saar Governing Commission has announced that it has asked the Supreme Tribunal of the Saar Plebiscite to take proceedings against the signatories of a German memorandum for libelling Government officials.

The memorandum was drawn up by members of the German Front in the Saar and charged that the subversive activities laid at their doors were false, and that evidence had been concocted against them. They went so far as to claim that documents found in their houses, when police searched them, were put there by police agents.

The German element of the Saar population has indignantly denied the reports that it was responsible for pro-Nazi propaganda. All the unpleasant



Sir Charles Kingsford Smith who is shortly to attempt a non stop flight from the Pacific coast to Europe.

CHINA'S NEW OPIUM WAR

DEATH FOR TRAFFICKERS

HINDRANCES TO FULL CONTROL

Geneva, Nov. 15.

Death is one of the most common penalties for those convicted on charges of trafficking in opium or other narcotic drugs in China, under the latest regulations communicated to the League of Nations. The Opium Advisory Committee discussed this phase of the Far East effort at this day.

The injection of morphia into another person for non-medical purposes was also punishable by death, according to the new Chinese regulations. It was reported.

The recent development of anti-narcotic legislation in China is said to envisage abolition of all opium licences in the country after a six-year period.

Certain persons, chiefly aged folk and inveterate smokers, are allowed to smoke opium, but all cases to such people are made subject to licence.

The Chinese representative on the Committee insisted, however, that the collaboration of a certain power was necessary, otherwise the Chinese Government's anti-narcotic campaign would be vain.—Reuter.

things said about the German Front, they say, are malicious lies told by their Communist and Catholic enemies.—Reuter.

BRITISH ATTITUDE

London, Nov. 15.

Matters affecting the conduct of the Saar Plebiscite were raised in the House of Lords, but Lord Stanhope, on behalf of the Government, said it would be improper for His Majesty's Government, which is responsible apart from any aspect of the question, to express any opinion on any aspect of the question. A committee of three had been appointed to consider these questions, by the League Council, and would report at the Council meeting next week. His Majesty's Government had not received that report.

Regarding the safety of Mr. Knox, President of the Saar Governing Commission, they had sent special service men from Scotland Yard, who were now on duty for that purpose.—British Wireless.

BRITAIN MAY HOLD KEY TO IMPASSE

POWERS CLOSER TO SOLUTION

OLD RATIO LIKELY TO REMAIN

WILL UNITED STATES BE SATISFIED?

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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London, Nov. 15.

There is every hope now that the British plan for a gentlemen's agreement between the principal naval powers, which will obviate the necessity of altering the present 5-5-3 ratios, will be accepted by Japan. In that event it is very likely that the United States will also accept the British scheme, and a long step will have been taken towards an understanding at the 1935 Naval Conference.

An authoritative British source states that at the commencement of the naval conversations in London Japan communicated to Great Britain the desire to maintain the freest, Anglo-Japanese relations, whereupon Great Britain requested the Tokyo Government to elucidate. A later report states that the Japanese Government has instructed Mr. Matsudaira, the Japanese Minister, and Admiral Yamamoto, the chief of the naval delegation, to ask for a further explanation "of the thought behind the British questions" as to the possibility of a naval compromise.

This move is interpreted to mean that Japan is willing to negotiate on compromise lines. The British idea for naval agreement provides for a unilateral declaration to be made by each power as to the naval construction intended. Thereafter, a gentlemen's agreement would be reached wherein the 5-5-3 ratio would remain the basis of three-power naval strength. The ratio would not be mentioned, but would be merely understood.

THREE COURSES

Three courses are contemplated when Japan denounces the existing naval agreement, the Washington Treaty.

First, the treaty may be renewed without Japan.

Second, concessions may be agreed to by the three major powers.

And Third, no treaty whatever may be undertaken. It is expected that the Japanese delegates will ask Great Britain next week how to define naval needs. This will lead to talks of a more technical nature which, if they are entered by the United States, will be a first step towards the Naval Conference scheduled for the summer of 1935, but which at one time it seemed might never be reached.—United Press and Reuter Special.

BRITISH FEELER?

Washington, Nov. 15.

The United States authorities are stated to be considering cautious British overtures for joint action in naval affairs if the tripartite discussions in London fail. Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, boarded a train carrying President Roosevelt to Tennessee in order to discuss the proposals.

Mr. Hull returns to Washington on November 17 when it is expected a reply will be sent to Britain. The proposals, it is understood, are of the most tentative nature and were made by Mr. Norman Davis on Nov. 14.—Reuter.

EMBASSY ENTERTAINS

London, Nov. 15.

British Ministers who have been taking part in naval conversations were entertained at a luncheon today by the Japanese Ambassador and his colleagues at the Japanese Embassy.—British Wireless.

HONGKONG'S FIRST DIVORCE ACTION

Wife Wins Dissolution

INFIDELITY ALLEGED

CUSTODY OF CHILD SOUGHT

The first petition to come before the Hongkong Divorce Court was heard this morning by the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice A. D. A. MacGregor, at the Supreme Court, when Dorothea Florence Soares, an Englishwoman, sought and obtained an order for the dissolution of her marriage with Alfredo Maria de Lourdes Soares, barrister-at-law of Hongkong and Shanghai.

The ground for the petition was infidelity, petitioner alleging frequent adultery since 1929. Respondent's father, Mr. A. M. L. Soares, appeared as intervenor in respect of the child. He was in Court and was represented by Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., assisted by Mr. G. C. N. Timson of Johnson, Stokes and Master.

Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., appeared for the petitioner, and Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Mr. Lo, of Lo and Lo represented petitioner.

CUSTODY OF CHILD

There is one child by the marriage, Inez Soares, born in November, 1926, and petitioner sought the custody of the child and such other relief as the Court might fit to provide.

Mrs. Soares arrived in the Colony yesterday from Singapore where her address was given as 25, Capitol Flats, Mr. Soares' address is given as 142, Szechuen Road, Shanghai.

The petition was undefended and respondent was not in court during the hearing.

The petition set out that the marriage took place at the Registry Office, Cambridge, on May 26, 1926, and that the parties lived together at several addresses in England.

It was alleged against respondent that he frequently committed adultery between 1929 and 1930 with unknown women; that he committed adultery at an address (Continued on Page 7).

AMERICAN WINS NOBEL PRIZE

Remarkable Rise To Eminence

Stockholm, Nov. 15.

To a man who, ten years ago, was a poor young instructor in chemistry in a remote American university, goes the 1934 Nobel prize in chemistry.

He is Professor Harold Clayton Urey of Columbia University, New York, 41-year-old specialist in the structure of atoms and molecules and the thermodynamic properties of gases. He was also awarded the 1934 Willard Gibbs medal by the American Chemistry Society, but prior to this year he was virtually unknown in the world of research.—Reuter.

HOPE TO SETTLE MONOPOLY ISSUE



King Carol.

FEAR OF ATTACK ON KING

INNOCENT MAN STRUCK DOWN

BUCHAREST INCIDENT

Bucharest, Nov. 15.

There was momentary alarm in the streets here to-day as King Carol rode slowly through the city, but what at first was taken for an attempt upon the monarch's life turned out to be nothing more dangerous than a petitioner's effort to reach His Majesty's side.

The petitioner was the only sufferer in the incident. He was fortunate to escape with his life.

He was dressed in the captain's uniform and attempted to press forward through the crowd and the royal escort to the King's carriage. He was immediately set upon by the escort.

The man raised his hands above his head to show that he was unarmed, and shouted his protests, but his voice was drowned in the din which immediately broke out. A mounted officer wheeling, with drawn sword, knocked the suspect down either by bumping him with his horse's shoulder or by a blow with the flat of his weapon.

With the assassination of King Alexander and M. Bartheu at Mar-seilles still fresh in the memory, foul play was naturally suspected to-day when a uniformed officer tried to thrust his way towards the King. But it was finally disclosed that he was armed only with a personal petition to King Carol.—Reuter.

NEWSPAPER REGISTRATION

Nanking, Nov. 15.

Under orders from the Nanking Ministry of Communications, the Chinese Postal Administration has drawn up a regulation requiring foreign newspapers to register with the Chinese Ministry of Interior before they can be permitted to be circulated in China.

According to this regulation, the privilege of Chinese postal facilities may be accorded to any foreign newspaper as soon as it is registered with the Ministry of Interior. This regulation is expected to be promulgated soon.—Central News Agency.

JAPAN OFFERS TO HELP

MANCHUKUO AND AMERICA

SAITO CALLS ON HULL

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Nov. 15.

The Japanese Ambassador to Washington, Mr. Saito, to-day paid an informal call on Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, and immediately afterwards announced that circumstances may compel Japan to act as an intermediary between the United States and Manchukuo in the oil monopoly dispute.

Mr. Saito said he had not offered this suggestion to Mr. Hull, however, though they had discussed the Manchukuo situation. The difficulties which had arisen out of the determination of that state to shut out foreign competition from the oil markets, they had not touched upon on this occasion, he said.

Mr. Hull said he was continuing his personal of the latest Japanese note in order to determine the action which the United States would take.—United Press.

WILLING TO HELP

Washington, Nov. 15.

Japan is willing to act as an intermediary, Mr. Saito, the Japanese Ambassador said to-day, in order that the American dispute with Manchukuo over the oil monopoly might be settled amicably. He had a long conference with Mr. Cordell Hull.—Reuter Special.

NO NEGOTIATIONS

London, Nov. 15.

Mr. Anthony Eden, Lord Privy Seal, stated to-day that no negotiations or conversations were at present occurring between Great Britain and Japan "for dealing with the general situation in the Far East, including the future of Manchukuo."—United Press.

WOMAN FILLS MORGENTHAU'S FORMER POST

MISS ROCHE JOINS U.S. TREASURY

GUARDS NATION'S PUBLIC HEALTH

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Nov. 15.

President Roosevelt has announced the appointment of Miss Josephine Roche, of Colorado, as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

This office has not been filled since Mr. Henry Morgenthau was elevated to the Secretary's post, in succession to Mr. William Woodin.

Miss Roche will supervise principally the Treasury's public health service.

Miss Roche is President of the Rocky Mountain Fuel Company, and is one of the country's most noted business women.

She was formerly a candidate for the Governorship of Colorado.—Reuter and United Press.

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Novel Nicknames Of The Campus

SOME ARE NICE
SOME NAUGHTY

BUT ALWAYS APPROPRIATE

BY RONALD ALLAN.

School days and nicknames seem to be inseparably associated. To me, a good deal of the charm of Kipling's "Stalky & Co." is due to the intimate atmosphere created by the use of nicknames which have the genuine schoolboyish ring about them.

An active mind is always ready to pounce upon anything topical if it will supply a nickname. In this connection I heard a boy, with a strong resemblance to the original, being addressed as "Gandhi." Years ago that boy would probably have been "Specky." An American periodical must accept the responsibility for the hundreds of "Bunter" Browns.

On two occasions nicknames were dropped, during my school days, because in the first case the nickname was decided to be rather unflattering, and in the second case it was found to be not really appropriate. The nickname banned as being below the belt was "Inky." This had been given to the only coloured boy in the school, who was a general favourite, and who confessed that he was rather sensitive about it.

"JESSIE" RUNS AMOK.

The other case had its funny side. During a house rugby match things had got pretty hot. A rather effeminate-looking, gentle-voiced forward, known to his fellows as "Jessie," had come in for a good deal of scragging. Suddenly he ran amok, and before his temper cooled he had done considerable damage to the opposing pack, which contained several members of the school fifteen.

Physical peculiarities give the nickname maker useful material for his wit. These have been thousands of "Tubbies" and "Diggies," but I only came across one "Bones."

The shape of his legs earned for one unfortunate, "Calipers," and another, whose face was anything but symmetrical, was known to all and sundry as "Gumboli Joe."

For many years a very tall and particularly thin physical instructor, who carried himself straight as the proverbial ramrod, lacked a nickname. Marconi obligingly invented wireless telegraphy, and the aerial masts provided the inspiration. Thereafter the instructor was "Wireless."

The nickname "Buzz" was given to another master who emphasized, to an exaggerated extent, his pronunciation of the sibilant letters.

SIR HENRY HAIRPINS.

One boy who had fair hair, blue eyes, and the innocent face of a cherub answered quite happily to "Goo-goo."

Shortly after the war a new boy entered the room of another class and asked the master in charge if he would be kind enough to lend "Sir Henry" his duster. Being unaware of having any titled colleagues, the master asked his almost helpless class to enlighten him. To his amusement, and to the embarrassment of the messenger, he discovered that an exceptionally tall ex-officer, who had brought back to school all his military smartness of dress and discipline, had been dubbed, "Sir Henry Hairpins."

A lady teacher, whose surname

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SLIMMING

ALTHOUGH there is not the same craze for slimness now as there was a few years ago, no woman cares to be stout, and if she feels she is putting on weight, then she is anxious to take steps to get rid of her superfluous fat.

No woman who is not in the best of health should go in for slimming. It is better to be rather fat and in good health and spirits than thin and "nervy" and delicate. Very strict dieting should be adopted only under medical advice.

Much, however, can be done by means of exercise and wise dieting to make oneself slim. Diet is very important. Sufficient nourishing food should be taken to keep oneself healthy, but it is unwise to eat more than is necessary. To be thin and yet healthy, one must have a good digestion.

One of the best aids to a good digestion is complete mastication of food. In order to masticate the food properly, choose food that requires a lot of chewing and gives the teeth plenty of work. Eat crusts and toasted bread and rusks, rather than soft bread; oatmeal instead of porridge, and biscuits instead of cake. Avoid starchy and sugary food even more than fats.

Meat should be taken only once a day, but fish, especially steamed, boiled and baked fish, may be taken, and poultry. Vegetables are excellent, and eat as many raw vegetables as you can—lettuce, tomatoes, finely chopped onions in salads, grated carrots, and so on. Salads can be eaten freely, but use a dressing made with olive oil and lemon juice instead of vinegar. Fresh fruit is good, too, especially oranges and apples. Drink as much water as you can, or fruit drinks made with fresh fruit juices, between meals, not with food. Avoid cocoa, chocolate and alcohol. Get as much outdoor exercise as possible, such as walking and playing tennis and golf, but, in addition, do a few physical exercises regularly every morning as soon as you get up. It is better to do only two exercises regularly every day than neglect them altogether for a week or more, and then devote half-an-hour to doing violent exercises.

was Shepherd, was known only as "Bo-Peep."

Play upon other surnames resulted in "Cunningham" becoming "Slybacon," and "Forayth" being corrupted to "Forsyth."

To the delight of a first form class receiving their first lesson in German script from a new master they discovered that his name was Penman. Until he left the master was "Jim the Penman."

YOUTH'S HORRIBLE CRIME

SLEW EMPLOYER WITH AXE

TOOK GIRL TO CINEMA

AFTER having suddenly withdrawn his plea of "Not Guilty" and pleaded "Guilty" to the murder of Dudley Hoard, manager of the Palace Cinema, Bow, E., John Frederick Stockwell, 19, an attendant at the cinema, was sentenced to death at Old Bailey.

"I am deeply sorry for this tragedy," said Stockwell when the jury had formally found him guilty.

Mr. Justice Goddard, passing sentence, said: "If any ray of light is to be found in this dark and tragic story, it is that by your confession, and the course you are now taking, you are showing some remorse for a crime as terrible as any recorded even in the grim annals of this court."

When the trial began Stockwell's plea was one of "Not guilty," and Mr. G. B. McClure opened the case for the prosecution. On the morning of August 7, he said, Hoard was found at the cinema, where he lived with his wife, unconscious. Terrible injuries had been inflicted on his head with some weapon like an axe.

About £80 was found missing from the safe. Stockwell was arrested at Yarmouth, and, in a statement to the police, told how he went to the cinema with an axe beneath his coat.

"I went to the flat and rang the bell," went on the statement, "and Mr. Hoard came to the door. I asked him if I might look for a ten-shilling note, and he said, 'Certainly.'"

STRUCK FROM BEHIND.

"He went to close the door, and I pulled it open and tried to hit him with the axe. He ran into the room, and I followed him and hit him on the head with the axe from behind."

"He fell, and I hit him several times with the axe. His wife then came out of the bedroom, and I hit her on the head with the axe."

Stockwell then went on to describe how he took the keys from the top of the cupboard, opened the safe, and took the money. He hid the axe behind the stage and went home. He afterwards threw the keys into the canal and met his girl and they went to the pictures.

Mr. Frederick Levy (defending) rose and said that Stockwell desired to withdraw the plea of "Not Guilty" and to plead "Guilty."

"I know," said Mr. Levy, "that a heavy responsibility rests on my shoulders in this matter, but, having examined the case from every aspect, the solicitor and I feel that it would be a lamentable farce to go through a case of this nature to its bitter end with an inevitable result."

"Have you received direct instructions from your client?" asked the judge.

"Yes, in writing," was the reply.

MERCY RECOMMENDATION.

"You understand what you are doing?" the judge asked Stockwell. "Yes," he answered. Mr. Levy then said that Stockwell's father was killed in action when the boy was a year old. His mother died when he was 11. It was a case of unprotected childhood.

After a few moments' deliberation, the foreman of the jury announced that they found Stockwell guilty, and strongly recommended him to mercy "taking into consideration the parental guidance which he never received."

Stockwell stood rigidly at attention between two warders while sentence was passed, and after the chaplain's "Amen" had echoed in the court, he turned and walked firmly from the dock down the steps to the cells below.

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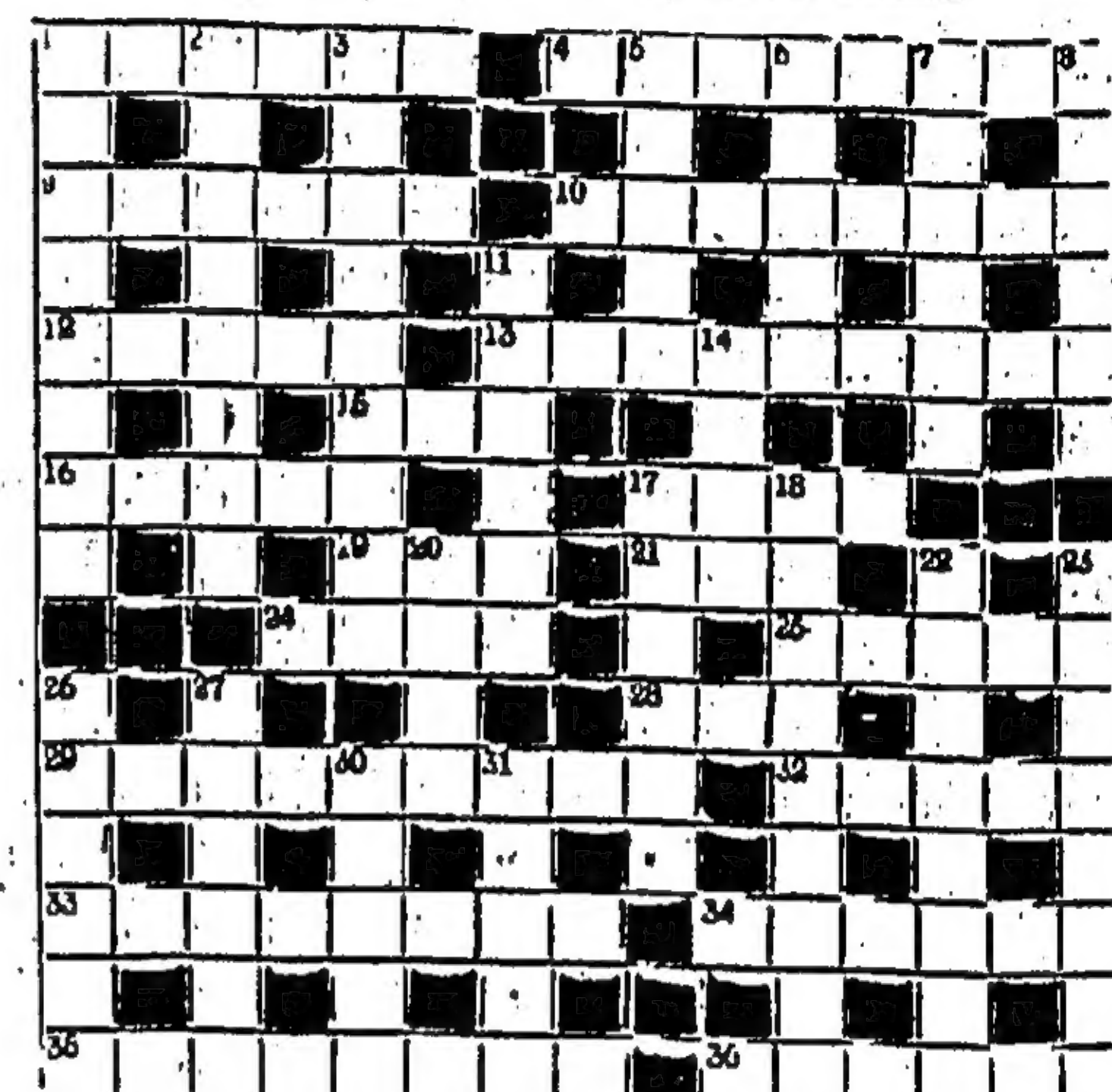
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 - 13 Sea water in this form is likely to become a great bore (two words).
 - 15 The light part of 12 across.
 - 16 Altogether made of lead but has a fruity sound.
 - 17 A self-contained part of an ammunition column.
 - 18 These three letters make only half one letter.
 - 21 Heathen god useful to cook.
 - 24 German town that upset a Scottish king.
 - 25 Kind of china.
 - 28 It would take 500 to make this little creature skiffal.
 - 29 This may mean a majority for a civilian.
 - 30 Men in Jamaica roll a tin ferrule round, (hidden).
 - 33 Thin kind of action is usually upsetting.
 - 34 All that lies before you now.
 - 35 Scented and with money for nothing in it.
 - 36 An axe-wielder of some years ago.
- Down
- 1 Part of a church.
 - 2 A drug, half a great prelate in history.
 - 3 Abominable.
 - 5 In this kind of game there are no partners.

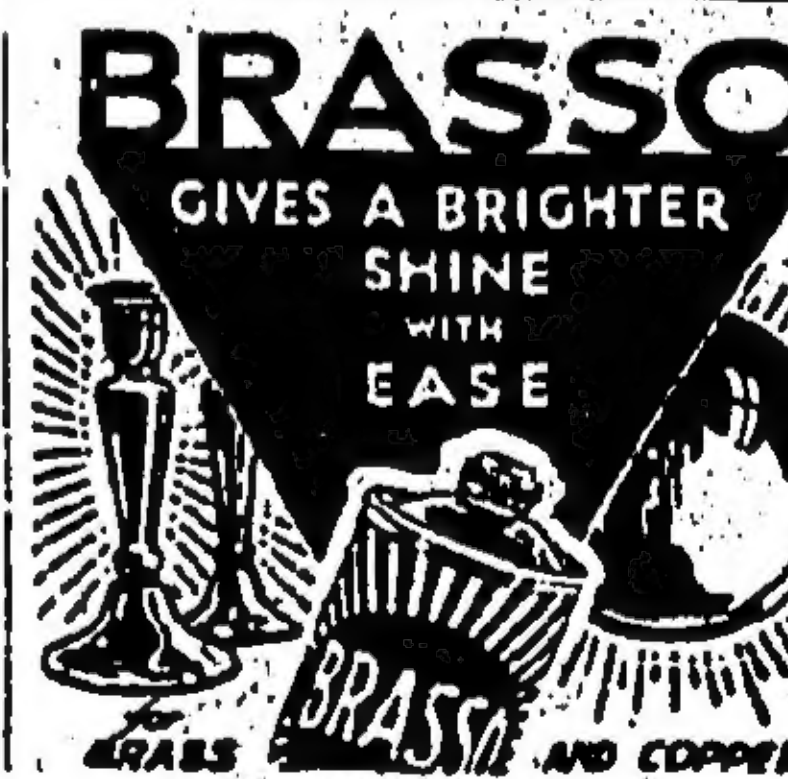
- Material that starts to make a statement about 34 across.
- 7 Kind of fowl.
 - 8 Tricks.
 - 11 It generally takes 33 across action to upset these.
 - 14 A girl of little value in the East.
 - 17 Support.
 - 18 Set on foot some organisation.
 - 20 A breach of one of the Commandments.
 - 22 A girl made the discovery apparently to muddle.
 - 23 Brave advice to the timid.
 - 26 Colloquially the smallest possible coin.
 - 27 Lead me (anag.).
 - 30 This catches fish for the market.
 - 31 A constellation.

Yesterday's Solution.

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MINISTER PELTED

EGG AND TOMATO PRELUDE

BUT MR. ELLIOT SINGS HIS PIECE

Mr. Walter Elliot, Minister of Agriculture, had a wild reception at Glasgow University Students' Union recently when he arrived to address the Tory Club.

As he walked on to the platform, accompanied by Mrs. Elliot, eggs and tomatoes were hurled at him. Both he and his wife were hit.

The Minister was visiting the club to speak on behalf of Sir Iain Colquhoun, the non-political candidate in the Rectorial election, who is supported by the Tory Club. The other candidates are Sir Stafford Crisp (Socialist), M. Padewski (Distributist) and Mr. Cunningham Graham (Scottish Nationalist).

Immediately Mr. Elliot arrived there was a barrage of eggs and tomatoes from all parts of the hall. Student leaders held up their hands appealing for order, but in vain. A tomato hit Mr. Elliot on the head and burst over his ear. Next minute the contents of an egg, which had crashed against the curtain above, fell on him. A student in the gallery took aim with a water-pistol and emptied its contents over the Minister's clothing. Mrs. Elliot had been struck by a tomato which, however, did not burst. A woman student led her off the stage.

A BALLAD OF MILK.

Then an undergraduate ran to the electric controls and let down the curtain. Eggs and tomatoes were smashed all over it. Next moment Mr. Elliot came out in front of the curtain and faced the audience amid considerable uproar. Ultimately quiet was restored, but when Mr. Elliot rose to speak he was greeted with a chorus of animal noises in which the sounds of cows and pigs predominated. The students also sang a ballad, "We have had no milk to-day."

Addressing the students, Mr. Elliot said: "There are some very bad shots in this audience. I don't think there will be any mistake, however, when the Rectorial election takes place, because I am here to say that we of the Tory Club are going to put our whole weight behind Sir Iain Colquhoun."

He continued: "The problems of the land, which are fundamental to-day, are being tackled on lines laid



Mrs. C. W. A. Scott, wife of the famous aviator, with her husband's message from Melbourne telling of his safe arrival and success in the Air Race.

14,000 SPANISH SMUGGLERS

According to "El Debate" Spain loses £6,000,000 annually in duties on smuggled goods.

The customs authorities estimate that 14,000 people in Spain take some part in smuggling activities, and that of these 2,000 are women. Tobacco is the chief article of contraband, and some 1,200 tons are introduced annually in clandestine fashion according to the estimates of experts.

down by the National Government, and there is no other Government or party which has constructive proposals to put forward. The difficulties of these times are entirely ignored, especially by the Scottish Nationalists, who are doing nothing to tackle the real difficulties in agriculture.

"The Socialists are on the run in every country in Europe; continued Mr. Elliot, "because they have no guts. The Socialists five or ten years ago were the hope of the world. To-day they are the despair of the world, and in Germany the Socialists have brought slavery upon their own people."

At the close of his address Mr. Elliot was given a warm send-off by 2,000 students. Interviewed afterwards he said, "It is a pity some of the students forgot that there were ladies present."

SINS OF MODERN CIVILISATION

By OLIVER BALDWIN

Each man has a different conception of what is meant by Civilisation, but for my purpose I will take it to mean the economic and cultural state of things prevailing at the moment in our own country.

With this state of things there are undoubtedly many who are entirely content, and who look upon any attack on this civilisation as an affront to their personal dignity, as if they alone were responsible for it all, under the direct supervision of Unchangeable Nature or some private God of their own.

That civilisation has brought untold benefits to mankind no one will deny; but that man has often misused them or even destroyed them is something that must not be forgotten if we are to be honest with our own conception of what is best for the majority in this world of ours.

We have praised ourselves for having given the light of our civilisation to what are called dark continents and backward races. We have imposed by force our laws and customs on people entirely different from us in habit and heredity, and where it has not worked successfully we have invariably blamed the receivers.

Such is our conceit in the advantages of our way of doing things over the way of others.

bling of our present economic system we find ourselves drifting into a denial of commercial morality by the acceptance of commissions, bonuses, and promises of future favours which, but a few years back, would have been looked upon as graft.

In the world of armament manufacturers, good business for shareholders has come to mean war and murder for some fellow-creature in a distant country; and art and beauty is gradually losing its place in the list of those things that go to make up a civilisation.

A country's trade can be interfered with and ruined by those that buy and sell a country's money for their own personal gain; financial crises and the overthrow of governments can be accomplished by the same means.

The civilisation that we boast of has now become a purely material state, uncontrolled, unmoral, and vicious in its effect on other people. And it is not difficult to see why this has become so. As commerce has grown, so has the breach widened between morality and materialism.

Christianity, which is the accepted ethical foundation of our civilisation, preaches—or should preach if it followed its Teacher's precepts—co-operation and brotherly love; Industrial Capitalism



This is a test of patience. Pussy versus rat versus cameraman. The pussy won.

Internationally, we have saddled our civilisation with the righteousness of Might. Imperially we have bound up commerce with the power of armed force, and justified it by the commendation of an organized Church.

Nationally, we are satisfied with our civilisation when a material budget is balanced, and have definitely based our values on the more material pounds, shillings, and pence.

COMMERCIAL GRAFT. As signs of the progress of this civilisation we point to the big Trust, and close our eyes to the elimination of the small trader.

We differentiate between "square-dealing" and "good business," and, unhappily, in the crum-

preaches the exact opposite, which is competition and rivalry.

Both of these fundamentals are taught the child from the first days of his schooling, by word of mouth and by example, with the natural result that the grown man falls between two stools, and once he has become tired of sitting on the floor, will take the most comfortable seat. And that most comfortable seat enables him to see the material advantages that could be acquired by the denial of Christian principle and the worship of Mammon.

Hypocrisy thereupon enters his make-up, for, while still giving lip-service to the Christian principles of his youth, his material life is a constant contradiction; and



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when hypocrisy comes in at the window, honesty goes out at the door.

Our civilisation has also had its effect on the domestic side of life. The congestion in the towns produces convention and the herd instinct, and this, in its turn, produces reactions that fly to the opposite extreme.

PUZZLING LAWS.

In order to keep the balance our laws then proceed to formulate criminal acts in support of convention with most surprising results, such as in the question of divorce, wherein a man, in order to be free, is forced to commit what the law calls a crime.

Perhaps it is in a perusal of our laws that future generations will find it most difficult to understand our civilisation.

They will be interested to see how we punish a tradesman for giving his customers short weight in goods, and praise the man who, by buying and selling currency, gives us short weight in money. How we imprison a boy for stealing apples from an orchard, and say nothing to the company promoter who makes away with the money of his investors in legitimate trade. How we forbid the buying of a sweepstake ticket, and encourage the gambling on the Stock Exchange. How we condemn the murderer for killing by killing him in his turn.

In the appendages to civilisation—these little frills and fancies that have become tacked on to it—we find some interesting things. There is the speed of living, the over-crowding of the towns at the expense of the countryside, the sedentary life, the facile and rapid means of communication; and we find they have produced an amazing number of nervous complexes—a deterioration in the physical health of the people; and an artificiality of speech, costume, and custom that result in a form of intolerable "mobbery" and an utter disregard for thought and contemplation.

WORKING FOR LEISURE.

It is when we think what could be done with the resources of civilisation that we are apt to despair, for there is so much that is good and so much more that could be bettered. It is not enough to take pride in these resources if we do not see that they are put to the best use; nor need we boast of our productivity if we cannot distribute it.

To glory in possession or the acquisition of power is nothing to the satisfaction received from the knowledge that the people of your country have food, clothing, and shelter, and time for real leisure. Our present civilisation has taken work for profit as its ideal. How much better to take work for leisure as its aim.

Civilisation must also alter its basis. The ethical basis must make the place of the material one. Peace and economic liberty are fundamentals for happiness, and neither can be the lot of our people if the Material is constantly lauded above the Spiritual, the Body above the Mind, and the Brain above the Soul.

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GLORIA SWANSON SECURES HER FOURTH DIVORCE

Los Angeles, Nov. 15. While wedding bells were peeling last night for the Ayres-Rogers wedding, Gloria Swanson was being awarded a divorce—her fourth—from Michael Farmer, Irish sportsman, on grounds of extreme cruelty. The screen star accused her husband of "nagging." His "quarrelsome habits made her extremely upset" and interfered with her movie work, Miss Swanson testified. He "repeatedly found fault with her and her friends and on many occasions quarrelled with her throughout the night," she alleged.

No community property was involved and Miss Swanson did not seek alimony.

The couple were married in Westchester County, N.Y., on August 16, 1931, before the screen actress divorced from her third husband, the Marquis Henri de la Falaise de la Courdun, was final. As a result, a second wedding ceremony was performed at Yuma, Ariz., on November 9 of the same year.

Miss Swanson attained stardom from a humble start as a bathing beauty.

Her first husband was Wallace Berry, whom she divorced. She later married—and divorced—the late H. K. Sumbon, Los Angeles cafe operator. Her third husband, the Marquis, is now the husband of Miss Constance Bennett, screen star. He was in Hongkong recently.

Recent rumour has linked Miss Swanson's name with that of Herbert Marshall, the English actor, but both have denied being any more than friends.—United Press



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Shanghai and Amoy	November 17.
Singapore	November 17.
Singapore and "Air Mail ex Marcella"	November 18.
—Saigon Service (Marcella, 31st Oct.)	November 18.
Singapore and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service (London, 3rd November)	November 19.
Shanghai	November 20.
Shanghai	November 20.
Singapore	November 21.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver R.F., 3rd Nov.)	November 22.
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Japan	November 22.
Singapore	November 22.
Shanghai	November 23.
Japan and Shanghai	November 23.
Singapore	November 23.
Japan	November 23.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Friday.		
Holhow, Pakhoi and Halphong	Kingyuan	Fri., Nov. 16, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Fri., Nov. 16, 3 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, U.S.A., Central and South America, *Canada and Europe via San Francisco (Due San Francisco, 9th Dec.)	General Sherman	Fri., Nov. 16, 3 p.m.
	Parcels	Nov. 16, 9 p.m.
	Reg.	Nov. 16, 4.15 p.m.
	Letters	Nov. 16, 5 p.m.
Amoy	Kumshang	Fri., Nov. 16, 5 p.m.
Saturday.		
Letters for "Bandong—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	Chitral	Sat., Nov. 17.
		G.P.O.
Reg.		Nov. 17, 9.00 a.m.
Letters		Nov. 17, 9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 14th Dec.)	Chitral	Sat., Nov. 17.
		G.P.O.
Parcels		Nov. 16, 5 p.m.
Reg.		Nov. 17, 9 a.m.
Letters		Nov. 17, 10 a.m.
Swatow and Bangkok	Muinam	Sat., Nov. 17, 2.30 p.m.
Manila	Prss, McKinley	Sat., Nov. 17, 4.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Athos II	Sat., Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
Foochow	Hupei	Sat., Nov. 17, 5 p.m.
Sunday.		
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Nov. 18, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kalkan	Sun., Nov. 18, 9 a.m.
Halphong	Com. Henri Riviere	
		Mon., Nov. 19, Noon
Swatow	Hydrangea	Mon., Nov. 19, 3 p.m.
Tuesday.		
Batavia	Tjikembang	Tues., Nov. 20, 9.30 a.m.
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ST. JOHN BOSCO

TRIBUTE TO PIONEER
EDUCATIONIST

Hongkong Catholics are celebrating the canonization of St. John Bosco, and religious exercises are being held at the Cathedral and elsewhere.

St. John Bosco was the founder of the Salesian Congregation, and a great educationist.

He died less than half-a-century ago, but his system of taking care of the waifs and strays of the world, teaching them a means of livelihood, and transforming them into useful, law-abiding members of society, lives on as his fitting memorial. This system works effectively at the local St. Louis Industrial School.

More than seven years have gone by since the Salesian Fathers, continuing the good work created by their founder, commenced to labour amongst the waifs and strays of this Colony. They are shortly to extend their activities to a larger sphere at Aberdeen.

Cathedral Service.

The first of the services in connection with the commemoration, was held at the Cathedral yesterday, at 7.30 a.m., when a large congregation, the Rev. Fr. R. W. Gallagher, S.J., took as his text:

"Unless you become as little children, you cannot enter into the kingdom of Heaven."—(Matthew xviii, 3).

Fr. Gallagher said in part:

The text which I have chosen may seem a rather strange one to apply to a man who was one of the greatest figures of the nineteenth century, and yet in the phase of his life which we are considering this evening it seems to me to be most appropriate.

Giovanni Melchior Bosco or, as he is universally known, Don Bosco, was a shepherd lad from Becchi, a little hill-side hamlet not far from Cuneo, Piedmont, Italy. He was born in 1815 and remained Priest twenty-six years later after overcoming a regular host of obstacles. Though ever gentle and kind, he was a man of grim determination, who laughed at difficulties which would have appalled and beaten lesser men, who fought for his ideas and confronted the greatest political forces of his native land to attain them. If Don Bosco made up his mind to do a thing nothing was big enough to hold him back.

In 1855 he gave a retreat to the boys of the chief reformatory in Turin. There were 200 of them. Wishing to make their life easier he conceived the idea of taking the boys for an excursion. He approached the Governor of the Prisons of Turin and asked for permission. The Governor refused. He went to the Minister of the Interior who listened to him and finally agreed, saying that he would have policemen in plain clothes to go with the boys so as to prevent them from yielding to temptation. Don Bosco thanked him but told him that he wanted no police of any kind.

The boys had a glorious day, and when evening was falling Turin witnessed the marvellous sight of three hundred of the worst young rascals of the city returning to prison of their own free will.

In a century in which so many brilliant educationists have elaborated systems for the training of youth, it is surprising to find that Don Bosco has not added to the library of books on educational matters. He was once asked to explain his system, and his answer was, "My system, my system, but what if I don't know it myself? I have only one merit: to go ahead as God and circumstances have inspired me." This is true. He had never thought of planning out a system. At the end of his life he left to his congregation a few short and clear cut principles. That was all. When asked by his subjects for instruction he replied: "As you have seen me do." Thus his system has been carried on by tradition aided by the experience which the years have brought. Little has been added for his method was the ideal one.

He knew that boys must be watched and therefore kept a very exact supervision over the hundreds who were under his care, but it was a

supervision to "prevent" not to "repress." It was a method based on counsel, not on punishment. The first rule: "There are the rules which you must obey. If you break them you will be punished." The second: "Look out! Here is a dangerous temptation: keep steady, and overcome the difficulty; if it is too hard, then come to me. I will help you."

In the Class Room.

In the class room it was the same. There lessons must be learned and exercises ruthlessly corrected, but the atmosphere of the class room is not repressive. Boys are of their nature restless and noisy. They are continually asking questions. That can be kept under with an iron hand, and pupils made to realize that such conduct cannot and will not be tolerated. But that was not Don Bosco's way. Remarks, questions, objections were not cut short by an icy look or by an angry word. Every question asked was answered at once if it appertained to the matter in hand, or if it did not an answer was promised later. Questioning was rather encouraged than otherwise.

"You might go the round," writes his biographer, "and wherever you found the boys, at prayer or work or play, you would find the great educator's skill in combining authority with liberality, discipline with friendliness, order with youthful effervescence. His aim was to reproduce the family atmosphere, which is indispensable to human beings. And success seemed to follow of its own accord."

Another point which the Saint stressed very forcibly, more by his example than by actual words, was that no matter how unprepossessing the outward shell of the student might be there is always a seam of gold hidden somewhere underneath. Rules and regulations he reduced to the absolute minimum. He would not interfere with individual liberty. He realized that boys love to feel that they are doing things of their own free will, because they want to do them.

Punishment had at times to be inflicted, but in this, as in all else, Don Bosco was wonderfully sane. "Punishment must take care not to harden the heart of the boy, and thus close it against the positive work of education. It should be deferred as much as possible—it should be neither humiliating nor irritating—it should be reasonable—there should be no public punishments, or hardly any—no punishment for thoughtlessness or neglect of lessons—no fixed restraints—punishment should never be inflicted in anger—no general punishment when the culprit cannot be discovered." He generally found that a word of reproof was sufficient; the effect required.

But that is not the soul of Bosco's work. Education which would do this would not be education at all. The whole aim and object was to train his pupils by word and example to be citizens not of this world only as seen to be the real of so much of the education of today—but of heaven. Hence the number of "prayers" which he gave to his schools, because prayer was the prominent feature of his direction—prayer on the part of the teacher to help him in the instruction of the souls entrusted to his care; prayer on the part of the pupil that each and every duty of his life might be supernaturalized.

He got his boys by simple instruction, by "Good-night" talks before they went to bed by gathering them round him in groups and chatting with them, to understand the price of a virtue or their reality; the transcending beauty of Grace, the value of each little act of the day, and endeavored to make them turn those acts, so often insignificant in themselves, into gems for heaven. He was a Saint who won the love of the little children, who crowded round him and played with him and questioned him, not for himself but for God. It is the summum of his entire educational system, the guiding principle which he has handed down to his Sons, who are now carrying the lesson to the furthest ends of the earth, where close on 9,000 men of 46 different provinces, and in 616 Houses and Schools are "making themselves loved to make God more loved."

Today's Service.
This afternoon, at the second of the three services at the Cathedral, Rev. Fr. F. A. Ryan, S.J., will speak on "Don Bosco, Social Worker."

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

Reverend (Reginald Redman), Orchestral Fantasy, Finckland (Herman Finch).
11 p.m. Evening. Relayed from Westminster Abbey. Tour through Time and Space. Sir James Jeans, F.R.S.
Greenwich Time Signal at 4 p.m.
12.10 a.m. The Midland Mischief Makers in a Light Musical Entertainment. Devoted and arranged by Richard Spencer and Garnet Hall, Junior, with Richard Spencer, Joan Stanley, George Gennell, Taylor Frame, and the Three Blue Boys.
12.30 a.m. The News.
12.45 a.m. An Organ Recital, by J. Dykes Howell, Relayed from the City Hall, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
1.15 a.m. Dance Music.
1.45 a.m. Close down.

TRANSMISSION 4

To-night's broadcast from Transmission 4 through GMD and GSA:
2.30 a.m. Big Ben. The News.
2.45 a.m. The Kentucky Miners. Greenwell Time Signal at 1 p.m.
3.30 a.m. The Wireless Military Band. Conductor, H. Walton O'Donnell.
3.45 a.m. West Country. The second issue of a somewhat erratic series. The contents will include: Music Notes, Fiction, Comedy, News, and G. G. Street, Entertainment Page, and "Off the Tape," a topical supplement.
Greenwell Time Signal at 8 p.m.
5.15 a.m. "Invitation to the Walls." A Musical Comedy.
5.30 a.m. The Hymns, Orchestra (Section C), conducted by Joseph Lewis, John Marel (Hartford), John Morel (Hampstead), Under the Clock, Hampstead Heath (from Suite, London Day by Day) (A. C. Mackenzie).
6 a.m. The News.
6.15 a.m. Dance Music.
6.30 a.m. Dance Music.
6.45 a.m. Close down.

TRANSMISSION 5

This morning's broadcast from Transmission 5 through GMD and GSA:
7 a.m. Big Ben. Dance Music.
7.15 a.m. Talk: "Under the Clock." Mr. Howard Marshall.
7.30 a.m. Dance Music.
Greenwell Time Signal at 12 Midnight.
8 a.m. Variety. Produced by Williams Marlow.
8.45 a.m. The News.
9 a.m. "Dance Music." Relayed from the Gramophone.
9.15 a.m. Close down.

LABOUR CONDITIONS

CHINESE DELEGATE TO
VISIT GENEVA

Nanking, Nov. 15.
The Nanking Ministry of Industry is sending Mr. Pao Hua-kun to Geneva, where he will act as the special agent of the Ministry. He will be permanently stationed there and entrusted with the duty of supplying the Ministry with information concerning labour conditions in various countries. Central News Agency.

SHANGHAI STRIKE

FOLLOWS DISMISSAL OF
B.A.T. WORKER

Shanghai, Nov. 15.
Over three thousand workers in the B. A. T. factory here went on strike yesterday.
The trouble is reported to have arisen when one of the workers, following a quarrel with a Russian inspector, was dismissed by the Manager. Fellow workers demanded his re-instatement and



Janet Gaynor and Lew Ayres in "Servants' Entrance," which comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday.

STERN WARNING

SLAV ATTACK ON
ITALY

Belgrade, Nov. 15.
Intense feeling against Italy is evident throughout Yugoslavia.
The official radio station on Wednesday, after serious allegations against Italy, concluded with this stern warning:

"The Yugo-Slavian Government has shown tolerance so far, but this cannot indefinitely continue."
The radio attack followed violent anti-Italian riots at Zagreb.

It is alleged that Italy is issuing quantities of anti-Yugo-Slavian literature along the Dalmatian coast, and that the Italian radio station at Bari is broadcasting provocative anti-Yugo-Slavian propaganda.—United Press.

NAZI CONTROL

RE-ORGANISATION OF BIG
SHIPPING LINES

Berlin, Nov. 15.
Britain's new bid for sea supremacy with the launching of the Queen Mary and the intensity of her rivalry in the North Atlantic route is believed to be among the factors leading to a re-organisation in the Hamburg-America and North German Lloyd lines.
The Chairman and other directors of these companies resigned to-day. A strong tussle has been proceeding behind the scenes of shipping organisations in connection with the Nazi government efforts to rescue German shipping from its present plight.

Despite the recent improvement, the need for further heavy rationalisation has become increasingly apparent. It is stated that the Hamburg-America Line recently dismissed 70 members of its staff and the North German Lloyd dismissed 50. Government officials have striven for further re-organisation of both lines, but Nazi theory sometimes comes in conflict with shipping practice.
An interesting measure of government control of shipping lines appears likely.—Reuter Special.

punishment of the Russian Inspector.

The company refused to comply with the workers' demands, and the strike was declared.

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AIR MAIL RATES

At the moment, Hongkong has only an indirect interest in the scheme which is being inaugurated as from next month in which there will be a reduction of air mail rates on Empire routes. The announcement now made is only the first instalment of plans, which are calculated to lead to a marked advance in Imperial co-operation. Varying postage charges from the Mother Country to destinations served by Imperial Airways are now to be abolished and flat rates substituted therefor. These charges will be sixpence per half-ounce for letters to destinations where the present charge is equal to or in excess of that amount, and three pence per half-ounce where they are at present lower than sixpence. Nothing is said in the official announcement regarding any revision of charges from overseas points to England, but inasmuch as uniformity is being attained in the other direction, it seems more than likely that efforts will be made to apply the principle as between Imperial possessions generally. Malaya will come into the new scheme, now that Singapore is within the Empire chain, but at present Hongkong is, of course, unaffected. The time should not, however, be far distant when this Colony will also enjoy the privilege of direct air mail contact with England. Difficulties have been encountered in establishing the link with Singapore, but we have it on the authority of Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secretary for Air, who recently conferred with officials of Imperial Airways in Singapore, that these are gradually being overcome. The main issue to be adjusted is the securing of flying rights over Chinese territory, but, as we have previously pointed out, even if the negotiations towards this end fail, it will none the less be possible to institute a service giving us contact with the Straits Settlements. The Home Government, as well as the local authorities, fully realise the importance of establishing the link. When this becomes a reality, we may look for a greatly improved and more regular air mail service to Europe, obviating the irritating delays at present experienced. It is reasonable to hope, also, that air mail charges will be placed on a much more satisfactory basis. At the present time, there is a marked disparity, to the disadvantage of Hongkong, in the rates as between this Colony and England and between England and Hongkong. There may be good grounds for this circumstance, although they have never been satisfactorily explained. Suffice it to say that if the existing charges were lower, far greater use would be made of the facilities than is at

NOTES OF THE DAY

MAN OF PEACE

The report that Mr. De Valera might shortly declare the Irish Free State a Republic and that Germany would be the first to recognise such a change, and take advantage of it in such a way as might prove threatening to the peace of mind of Englishmen, is somewhat discouraging at a time when the Powers are straining every nerve, as Mr. Ramsay MacDonald puts it, in an effort to maintain the peace of the world. If Mr. De Valera enters into an alliance with a foreign state which might have the effect of disturbing England's feeling of security, he would have serious trouble on his hands. It seems incredible that Mr. De Valera should tempt disaster, as yesterday's reports indicate that he has done; and if the rumours of an Irish-German political alliance are substantiated the Chief Executive of the Free State will be called upon to declare himself. It has always been in Mr. De Valera's favour that he was a man of peace. There will be turmoil in Ireland if he takes a wrong turning.

SHOCKS IN EUROPE

Twice within three months Europe has been brought to the verge of war. But whereas in 1914 an assassin's bullet, grimly trying to prove that the gun was mightier than the pen, signed the death-warrant of fourteen millions, twenty years after the gravest dangers appear to have been averted. The most striking contrast between the situation in 1914 and in 1934 is surely the reaction of the general public to the political murders. To the majority, the assassination of the Archduke Franz Ferdinand at Sarajevo was at first a distant event, which would interfere little with their everyday lives. When Dr. Dollfus of Austria met his violent death in July, the humblest citizen anxiously watched for movements of Italian, Yugo-Slav and German forces on the Austrian frontier. Probably it was the general realisation of the dangers of the situation, combined with the special interest of the League of Nations in Austrian affairs, which prevented violent action.

NO WILL FOR WAR

After the Marnelles murders, there was apparent a similar anxiety to localise the effects of the assassin's madness. Yugo-Slavian official restraint was as assuring as Italy's obvious desire to keep the peace—this was certainly not the Mussolini of bellicose speech who is offering his condolences to a neighbouring State with whom relations were not of the best. We may perhaps take heart even in the present distressing circumstances. There has been much war-talk lately but, as soon as there is any real possibility of war, the nations almost without exception seem desperately eager to avoid the mad adventure. On the other hand, of course, Europe may not be able to stand too many shocks such as she has recently experienced. The moral is clearly that the existing peace machinery of the League of Nations should be strengthened in every way possible, so that it shall be competent to deal with any emergency.

NAPOLEON—AND TODAY

Attention is being called to the political aims and achievements of Napoleon by the activities of European dictators. On the cultural side interest is manifested in the circumstance that several plays with Napoleon as hero are announced for production in London during the current theatrical season. The two interests are united, as it were, in the drama that has been written on the same subject by Signor Benito Mussolini. It is not surprising that Napoleon should exercise such a fascination over the thoughts of men. He attained to a position of dazzling brilliance in the face of tremendous handicaps. And he was not merely a man of war. He had in view far-reaching schemes of international organisation that in some respects were in advance of his time. On these and similar branches of his career too much attention can never be concentrated. Yet, for the present age, these are not the things of the most striking moment. More instructive still is the foible flicker in which that unparalleled blaze of glory ended. No man is ever likely to have a more terrific and titanic genius than Napoleon, or to be supported by more devoted and impassioned service through long years of struggle. But, in spite of all this, Napoleon crashed. His career is a final proof that even the grandest and ablest schemes, if based on personal domination, a fundamental wrong, cannot endure.

present the case. Even under existing conditions, this question of rates is well worthy of the serious attention of the authorities; when the link with Singapore is forged, the matter will become even more urgent.

SOUTH AFRICA MUST SETTLE NATIVE POLICY

By SIR JOHN HARRIS

THE visit of General Smuts to Britain to receive the Lord Rectorship of St. Andrews is being closely watched by South Africa. But the interest of South Africa is not focussed upon St. Andrews, but upon a meeting which it is understood will take place between the General and Mr. J. H. Thomas.

South Africa expects General Smuts to discuss with Mr. Thomas the transfer to the Government of South Africa of three great Protectorates, Bechuanaland, Basutoland, and Swaziland, which were placed, at their own request, under the trusteeship of the British Crown and People.

In the Act of Union under which Great Britain gave South Africa a Constitution, there are articles which permit of a conditional surrender of our Trusteeship to the South African Government.

Since Great Britain gave the Act of Union to South Africa things have happened which demand answers to two questions of such importance that no British Government could consider the surrender of its Trusteeship until explicit answers have been supplied.

The first of these is constitutional. Where stands the British Crown to-day after the recent passage of the Statute Act? The Act of Union states clearly that "the King may disallow any law made by the Governor-General and Council by proclamation within one year"; again, "all Bills to amend or alter the Schedule must await 'His Majesty's pleasure'." Therein, as the natives have always said, lay their one safeguard.

If the protecting rights of the British Crown have been abolished under the recent Statute Act, that safeguard has vanished.

Members of Parliament in South Africa have affirmed that the Statute Act passed this year has dissolved any legal bonds between Great Britain and South Africa. Dr. Malan has placed on record the opinion that "the status of South Africa is now one of complete sovereignty independence" with the right of neutrality and "the right to become a Republic."

For these reasons the British people must be told plainly whether the trustee rights held by the British Crown under the Act of Union have been dissolved or whether the Crown will share with the South African Government the trusteeship, privileges and rights to watch over the moral and material well-being of the inhabitants of these territories.

The second question is: What "native policy" is it intended to apply to these territories when transferred? Two views of native policy struggle for supremacy: that of the Transvaal Grandwits; "There can be no equality in Church or State between white and black"; and that of Cecil Rhodes: "Equal rights for all civilised men."

Until the South African Government decides upon its native policy, how is it possible for any Government to give its consent to a transfer of its trusteeship?

The question which will fill the minds of the native inhabitants of the Protectorates is this: "What is going to be the permanent and deliberately adopted policy of the Government and Parliament of the Union of South Africa towards all South African natives, whether at present living within the territories of the Union or within the territories of the Protectorates?"

And not only the natives, but assuredly also members of the British Parliament?

Speeches in the South African Parliament have already envisaged the dispossession of the natives of their lands if and when control of the Protectorates is secured. The franchise of the natives in Cape Colony, a highly-prized legacy of British Administration so carefully safeguarded in the Act of Union is to be abolished. When that takes place, not a single native throughout the South African Union will possess a voice in the legislature of his own country. Ten years ago the outlines of a "policy" was submitted to a Select Committee. It has never reported because the members are divided as to whether the South African is to be kept as a slave or allowed to become a man!

How gladly would the natives and their friends welcome an invitation to hammer out together a real native policy, provided General Smuts is prepared to tell Mr. Thomas that South Africa accepts the only sound, just and safe basic principle of "equal rights for all civilised men."

PRINCE'S BRIDE AN ARTIST

DRAWS FOR AMATEUR EXHIBITION

Princess Marina has sent to Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, a charming drawing of a boy's head, which she has drawn specially for the Exhibition of Amateur Art by All Ages, now in progress at Agnew's Galleries, Old Bond Street, London, in aid of the Heddingham Training Camps and Employment Scheme.

The picture, which Princess Marina sent over specially from Paris through the medium of the British Embassy, is a large one. It arrived on Friday, and is now on view, occupying a prominent position on the panel devoted to work by members of the British and other Royal Houses.

The collection, which is the largest group of pictures by living Royal artists ever shown together, has been arranged by Princess Alice. Other additions newly on view are a painting by Princess Beatrice, and one by Princess Alice's daughter, Lady May Ables-Smith, painted at the age of 14.



"Oh, mother talks a lot, but how many times has she married just for money?"

The Very Idea!

SPEAKING OF CAREERS

By Eddie "Northcliffe" Kelly

Everybody seems to be writing autobiographies (my, what big words you have Eddie) these days, so we're going to take a hand. What the public needs in these days of doubt and distrust is to hear about the inner workings of a newspaper, and we are the man to tell 'em.

WE remember the late Lord Plunkett, that dandy of journalistic plenipotentiaries, remarking to us once in the sub-editor's room of the old "Encyclopaedia Britannica," "My boy, news is what gets in the paper."

There was a lot to be said for his opinion, and a lot to be said against it, and with this in mind, we answered, "Yes... and no."

"So you don't agree with me?" he chafed.

"Well," we replied, "We do... and we don't."

"Time has proved us right... and wrong."

News, we have discovered, is what we get in the paper. But we never get anything in the paper.

It's a funny game, the newspaper game—funny and fascinating. Fascinating, that's it. It gets you. It got us. It didn't want us, but it got us just the same.

We'll never forget, our first newspaper job. On the old "Blackie's Clear-type Atlas," it was. Old Mr. Blackie—a proper gent, if ever there was one—used to come in every evening to read the proofs. He read them aloud to us, and if we understood them he knew they were no good. What a paper that was, the old "Atlas."

"Listen, mug," Mr. Blackie said to us one night, in the inimitable way that endeared him to us all, "the roundman has fallen down on the population of Arnhem Land, and if that young Jackanapes, Webster, scoops me on this, his gazetteer supplement is made. Go to it!"

We knew him too well to ask him what we were to go to. We just went. That was how we worked in those days. By the greatest of good luck we ran into Burke down at the corner.

Burke, by the way, was one of the most brilliant pressmen of the age. Starting as a cadet on "Sand's Directory," he worked up to the ownership of "The Pictorial" in a little under seventy years.

"Burke, old chap," we said, "We're in a quandary—what shall we do?"

"Ring up the Privy Seal," said Burke without hesitation.

It was good advice. We took it. But the trouble was, the privy seal wouldn't come to the phone. In fact, the keeper said he wouldn't bring any of the seals to the phone at that hour for no-one, as they were performing.

It was then that we had one inspiration. Dashing back to the office, we hurriedly typed out:

"THE POPULATION OF ARNHEM LAND IS NOT ASCERTAINABLE."

That was one of our biggest scoops. Next morning the "Atlas" sold out, and Webster, in desperation, added a special colour plate of Flags of All Nations. That was how sensational journalism began.

Years later, when we had made our name, and was Pictorial Editor of "Old Moore's Almanac," we put one of my most dazzling coups de tenors. The final edition was just going to press, when we had news that there was going to be an earthquake in Italy. Old Moore—a martinet, if ever there was one—had laid down a rule that earthquakes must always be illustrated.

There wasn't an earthquake block left in the office, all our photographers were out getting a flash of next October's grasshopper plague in Syria, and the edition was going to press.

We cursed. Then we smiled. "Boy," we said, "get us a single column of the leaning tower of Pisa." He got it, and we ran it in the earthquake story—ON ITS SIDE! (Another entrancing chapter from our life will appear next Friday, if the Editor of the Telegraph hasn't recovered from his bout of malaria in the meantime.)

Ship Ahoy!

Studebaker Sales Corporation of

America

South Bend, Ind.

Gentlemen:

I don't understand why we can only go 15 to 18 miles on a gallon. I read how in the olden days, even the Spaniards went 50 to 100 miles on a gallon. Was their gas so much better?

Arnold Cuthbert.

(signed)

Taking Ways.

Biltmore Hotel

Los Angeles, Cal.

Dear Mister Manager

Can I get a position in your

Hotel? I took up English, Italian,

Hebrew, French and German.

I worked as elevator man in the

Ritz Hotel, Paris.

Miles Stratton.

Right You Are.

Mr. Max Loewenthal,

Landlord

Dear Sir:

I don't think that apartment

will really do for us. You see it's

so dark and we want to do light

housekeeping.

Mrs. Eugene

(signed)

Red Army Between Two Fires

CANTON TROOPS IN PURSUIT

HUNAN WAITING FOR ONSLAUGHT

Canton, Nov. 16. The centre of anti-Red fighting has transferred to Southern Hunan, following the complete failure of the Red invaders to make inroads over the Kwangtung border.

The Reds will have to fight against overwhelming odds in their next attempt to force their way across the southern districts of Hunan, as the Central Government troops in co-operation with the Hunan provincial army, have completed a strong defence line to prevent the Reds from moving into the western quarter of Hunan.

At the same time, the Canton military authorities, under orders from the Nanchang Anti-Red Headquarters, have decided to send the crack units of Cantonese troops on the northern front, numbering about 30,000 men consisting of the 3rd Division and the Training Division, into Hunan. These Cantonese forces will march into Hunan along two routes under the command of General Li Han-yun, who will act in close co-operation with General Ho Chien, Commander of the Hunanese Forces at Hengchow.

GEN. MACARTHUR TO BE RELIEVED?

ROOSEVELT'S MIND NOW MADE UP

(Special to "Telegraph")
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Washington, Nov. 16. General Douglas MacArthur, Chief of Staff of the United States Army, will remain in office only one month beyond the expiration of his term of appointment, it was announced to-day.

President Roosevelt has asked General MacArthur to remain at his post until the new year. This is the latest of several conflicting reports.

While it is likely that General MacArthur will then be displaced, the course of the Government has not yet been definitely decided, it is understood.

ROYAL WEDDING SPECTACLE

SPECIAL STANDS ON PROCESSION ROUTE

London, Nov. 16. Special stands for spectators to witness the processions to and from Westminster Abbey on the occasion of the wedding of the Duke of Kent to Princess Marina are being erected in Parliament Square and elsewhere along the route.

Arrangements are also being made by the Board of Works to carry out a scheme of decorations, mainly of flags suspended from horizontal poles fixed to the roofs and upper windows of public buildings. Special stands and buildings will also be decorated with the Duke's emblems and the national flags of Greece and Denmark.

A rehearsal of the procession, in which squadrons of Household Cavalry took part, was held early this morning to time the procession from Buckingham Palace to the Abbey.

IRON AND STEEL FEDERATION NEW CHAIRMAN APPOINTED

London, Nov. 15. Sir Andrew Duncan, Chairman of the Central Electricity Board, has been appointed Independent Chairman of the Iron and Steel Federation, which includes fourteen industries and more than forty Associations.

It is recognized that he will play an important part in the future development of a scheme for the reorganisation of industry, which is in an advanced stage.

Mr. L. A. Tobias's gardener, So King, was bitten by his dog yesterday. The man went to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

BRITISH BOND ACTIVITY

Old Consols At 30-Years' High

London, Nov. 15. There were further big movements in quotations of gilt-edged securities on the stock markets to-day.

Old Consols 2½ per cent. reached 92¼, the highest for 30 years, and War Loan 3½ per cent. touched 109¼. The markets closed, however, with prices well under the best, with War Loan 108¾ and consols 91¼.

HONGKONG'S FIRST DIVORCE

(Continued from Page 1.)

at Hamilton Road, Singapore, on or about May 8, 1933; also on or about May 21, also at Hamilton Road; also on May 26 at Syed Ali Road; also on July 1, the names of the women being unknown to petitioner.

The petition stated that there had been no collusion or connivance between the parties for the purposes of the dissolution of the marriage; for any other purpose, Petitioner sought: 1, dissolution of the marriage; 2, custody of the child; 3, such further and other relief as the Court might see fit to order.

When the case was called on, a tall, handsome woman brightly dressed, went into the box and took the oath.

ADULTERY ADMITTED
After formal evidence as to her name, address, and marriage she said, in answer to counsel, that her husband had admitted the fact of adultery to her.

"The rest of the evidence is on affirmation and I do not think it need be read," said Mr. Sheldon. Mr. Jenkin declined to cross-examine.

Mr. Sheldon referred to the statement of adultery and read the affirmation of a Mr. Aristotle. Petitioner, recalled to give evidence of domicile, said her husband was of Portuguese nationality and was born in Hongkong, where the family residence was situated.

Mr. Sheldon said on this evidence he asked for a decree nisi with costs and the custody of the child, the latter being a matter which could be dealt with in chambers.

PARTIES AGREE.
Mr. Potter said he hoped the matter could be dealt with in chambers forthwith, as the parties were happily in agreement on the matter.

His Lordship: Certainly. Addressing Mr. Sheldon, his Lordship asked if any period had been prescribed under the Ordinance for the decree nisi.

Counsel said the period was six months under the rules.

His Lordship: Then there is no need to fix it under that section.

The Lordship granted the decree nisi with costs, and the parties then adjourned to chambers to deal with the petition for the custody of the child.

The Medway's Commander Arrives

CAPT. COLTART IN HONGKONG

Amongst the arrivals on the P. and O. liner Ranpara yesterday was Captain Cyril G. B. Coltart, who is to take over command of H.M.S. Medway and the 4th Submarine Flotilla, vice Captain Alan Poland.

Captain Coltart is well-known to many of the older residents in Hongkong for he has served four previous commissions with the China Fleet, being attached to H.M.S. Marazion, the L. Class submarine and also the P. Class.

Prior to coming to the Far East to take up his present appointment Captain Coltart was Chief of Staff to Rear Admiral N. E. Lawrence, C.B., D.S.O., of H.M.S. Dolphin.

Captain Coltart formerly played for the Navy Rugby XV.

The winners in "The House of Rothschild" Guessing Competition are as follows:—(1) Mrs. C. S. Fishen, of Royal Naval Armament Depot, Queen's Road East; (2) Miss O. Barrett, c/o Siemens China Co.; (3) Mr. C. A. Goldberger, c/o T. J. Bridge & Son. The winners are requested to call at the King's Theatre office for their prizes.

HOTEL MANAGER ATTACKED

STABBED WITH TABLE KNIFE

On his return home shortly before 1 o'clock this morning, Ma Tau-nam, Manager of the Empress Hotel, was attacked on the staircase leading to his apartment at 40 High Street, West Point. Three men are alleged to have been concerned in this affair, and they are all in police custody.

Robbery is said to have been the motive, but police investigators are endeavouring to discover if the incident has any connection with previous relations between the parties, as it is said that the alleged assailants are known to the victim.

The story related by Ma Tau-nam states that an attempt was made to reach for a sum of \$120 which he had at the time in a pocket; but at the very start he shouted for assistance, and continued to shout after he was stabbed in the wrist. The weapon, a table knife, was wielded by a man in European clothes who appears to be the leader of the group allegedly lying in wait in the staircase.

Whistles blown by members of his family in the apartment above, completed the discomfiture of the assailants. They rushed down the staircase, but in the street, two were intercepted by plain-clothes constables.

A third man was subsequently found by the police in his home at Queen's Road West.

"TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

To-morrow's Pictorial Features

A wide variety of interests will be covered by the illustrations appearing in to-morrow's issue of the "Telegraph" Pictorial Supplement.

There will be some excellent pictures of the "Alice in Wonderland" Fete, whilst Armistice Day events will also be illustrated.

Amongst the weddings of which groups will be given are those of Mr. Anthony Ricketts and Miss Jocelyn Christmas, Mr. Peter Sin and Miss Wong Lai-ying, and Mr. Thomas J. Chan and Miss Cecily Pok.

There will also be a group of the Hongkong Naval Volunteer Force, and a photograph taken at the St. Stephen's College prize day.

U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday.

New York Cotton.			
	Nov. 14.	Nov. 15.	
	Close	Close	Range
December	12.24	12.26-12.28	
January	12.31	12.33-12.35	
March	12.36	12.38-12.40	
May	12.47	12.48-12.50	
July	12.56	12.54-12.54	
October (1935)	12.05	12.06-12.06	
Spot	12.50	12.55	

New York Rubber			
December	12.80	13.05-13.05	
January	12.90	13.16-13.16	
March	13.11	13.36-13.36	
May	13.28	13.55-13.55	
July	13.50	13.77-13.77	
September	13.71	13.98-13.98	
Total sales	377 lots		

Chicago Wheat			
December	99½	101½-101	
May	99½	100½-100½	
July	93½	95½-95½	
Wednesday's sales		17,383,000 bushels.	

Chicago Corn			
December	81	82½-82½	
May	82½	83½-84	
July	82½	83½-83½	
Total sales	19,984,000 bushels		

Winnipeg Wheat			
December	78	79-79	
May	82½	83½-83½	
July	82½	84½-84½	

New York Sugar			
December	1.84	1.89-1.89	
March	1.74	1.73-1.74	
May	1.76	1.76-1.77	
July	1.80	1.80-1.80	
Total sales	7,000 tons		

New York Silk			
December	1.23	1.21½-1.21½	
March	1.23½	1.22½-1.22½	
May	1.24	1.24-1.24	
Total sales	109 lots		

Montreal Silver			
December	54.45	54.75-54.75	
March	55.00	55.80-55.80	
May	55.10	55.40-55.40	
July	55.70	55.85-55.85	
Total sales	—01 contracts		

New York Metals			
Copper, March	6.11	6.11	
Tin, March	51.05	51.05	

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits in conjunction with Reuters, British Government Securities, Nov. 14 Nov. 15

War Loan 3½%	redm. after 1952	£108	£108½
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Chinese Bonds.

4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£102	£102½
4½% Loan 1908	£ 98	£ 98
5% Loan 1912	£ 82	£ 82
5% Reorg. Loan	£ 98½	£ 98½
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 93½	£ 94
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 80½	£ 80½
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 27	£ 27
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 22	£ 22
5% Shai-Hchow-Ningpo Rly.	£100	£100
5% Honan Rly.	£ 25	£ 25
5% Hukang Rly.	£ 40½	£ 41
5% Lung-Taiung Rly.	£134	£134½
Hai Rly. 1913	£ 14	£ 16

Foreign Bonds and Banks.

German 7% Int. Loan 1924	£ 58	£ 59
City of Osaka 5% Sterling Loan 1930	£ 90½	£ 90½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 91½	£ 92½
H.K. & Shai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£134	£134½
Charl'd. Bk. £5 sh.	£ 16	£ 16

Industrials and Breweries.

Associated Elec. Industries	23½	22½
British-Amer. Tob. (Share)	124½	127½
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Share)	19½	19½
Tate & Lyle	100/-	100/-
Courtaulds	47½	48½
Distillers	93½	94½
Dunlop Rubber	48½	49½
Everready 5/- sh. General Electric (England)	48/-	48/-
Boots 5/- sh.	47/-	47/-
Impl. Chem. Ind.	36½	36½
Impl. Chem. Ind. Def. 10/- sh.	8½	8½
Impl. Tobacco	138½	138½
Wellworths 5/- sh.	103½	103½
Internal Nickel no par val	£ 23½	£ 23½
Pinchin Johnson 10/- sh.	43/-	43/-
Turner & Newall 49/-	49/-	49/-
Unilever	24/-	24½

Miscellaneous.

Anglo-Dutch	22½	21½
Bunn Corp. Ra. 10	11½	11½
Austin Motors ord. sh.	36½	36½
Charl'd. 15/- sh. (Share)	20/-	20/-
Guthrie Kalumpung Rubber	17/-	17/-
Trepca Mines 6/- sh.	8½	8½
Langlaagte Estates	31/-	31½
London Tin 10/- sh.	10½	11½
Pekin Synd. ord. sh.	1½	1½
Rubber Trusts	29½	29½
Shai Elec. Constr.	53½	53½
Van Ryn Deep	62½	63½
Electric Musical Industries	60½	31/-

Oils.

Anglo-Persian	43½	42½
Burmah Oil	76½	76½
Southern Railway (Deferred)	£ 22½	£ 22½
Rolls Royce	107½	108½
Shell Trans and Trad. (Share)	43½	42½
Goldenhulsh	20½	26½
Crown Mines 10/- sh.	246½	248½

21 YEARS AGO

Extracts From the "Telegraph" Files

The following extracts are from the Hongkong "Telegraph" for the week ended November 15, 1913.

The rate of dollar on demand was 1s. 11½d.

Mr. Leslie Stedman was appointed a qualified auditor under the Hongkong Companies Ordinances.

The Indo-China steamer Ting-sang, which went ashore in Haitan Straits, became a total loss.

The weddings took place at St. John's Cathedral of Mr. P. D. Wilson and Miss Hilda Gibson, and of Mr. Lionel Lammet and Miss Florence A. O'Dell.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day.—Shun-toong, Sago, President McKinley, Chungshing, Kungshing, Toyooka Maru, Ethel Radcliffe, Taming, Adrastrus, Chitral, Nako Maru, Cant Maru, Ben Noia, Raitby-bag, Dell Maru, Haldia, City of Bagdad, Atsuta Maru, Hangeang, Ginyo Maru.

RADIO BROADCAST

Relay of Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra

CLASSICAL PROGRAMME

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (815 kilocycles).
7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock & Commodity Quotations.
7.08-7.22 p.m. A Recital by Percy Heming (Baritone).
1 Juggin' Along the Highway (Samuel).
2 The Dearest Lover (White).
3 (a) Fairing; (b) Come to the Fair (Edmund Marlin).
4 (a) Jock the Fiddler; (b) The Hallel-Monger (Easthope Martin).
7.22-7.45 p.m. Light Orchestral Music.
Zampna—Overture (Arr. Winter).
Continental Symphony Orchestra.
Fantasia on Melodies of Johann Strauss (Weber).
March Weber & his Orchestra. Gounod in Vienna (arr. Walter).
Orchestra Raymonde.
7.45-8 p.m. From the Studio.
"To-morrow's Racing" by Mr. A. J. P. Beard.
8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.
8.03-8.56 p.m. Variety Programme.
Song—Speak to me of Love.
Song—Visions in Smoke.
Mlle. Lucienne Boyer (Soprano).
Piano Solo—The Queen was in the Parlor.
Piano Solo—Just one more Chance.
Rite da Costa.
Instrumental—Hawaiian Love Bird.
Instrumental—Smiling Eyes.
King Nawa's Hawaiians.
Hand—Irving Berlin Waltz Song.
Debroy Somera Band.
Humorous Song—The King of Zulu.
Frank Crumit.
Piano Solo—A Thousand Goodnights.
Piano Solo—True.
Rite da Costa accompanied by Ray Noble and his Orchestra.
Vocal—Over Somebody Else's Shoulder.
Vocal—The Little Dutch Mill.
Derickson and Brown.
8.50-9 p.m. Good Company Medley (arr. Willoughby) and played by the J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.
9.10-9.30 p.m. Classical Programme.
Concerto No. 1 in C Major (C. Dur.), Op.15 (Beethoven).
Arthur Schnabel and The London Symphony Orchestra conducted by Dr. Malcolm Sargent.
1st Movement—Allegro con brio.
2nd Movement—Largo.
9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.
Concerto No. 1 in C Major (Beethoven).
3rd Movement—Rondo.
"Orpheus"—Dance of the Blessed Spirits (Gluck).
Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York conducted by A. Tosti.
Symphony in D Minor (Cesar Franck).
Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski.
1st Movement—Lento—Allegro non troppo.
2nd Movement—Allegretto.
3rd Movement—Allegro non troppo.
10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further London Stock and Commodity Quotations.
10.40 p.m. Close Down.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

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ELECTRIC STAR FAVOURED FOR HONGKONG ST. LEGER

LATEST SOCCER TRANSFERS

NOTTS. C. SIGN TWO MEN FROM TORQUAY

The following football transfers are notified from Home:—
 Stabb (centre-forward) and Steele (outside-right), Torquay to Notts County; A. Warburton (inside-forward), Nelson to Fulham; G. Goddard (centre-forward), Wolves to Sunderland; R. F. Lythgoe (centre-forward), Stockport to Huddersfield; Rice (centre-forward), Manchester United to Wrexham; Bryant (forward), Wrexham to Manchester United; L. Murphy (outside-left), Norwich to Luton; Fulham to Wrexham; Warburton, who with Manchester United for 4½ years and then went to Burnley, for whom he played 26 League matches last season. He was retained but declined terms last May and went to Nelson. Warburton is 33, weighs 11 stone 6 lb. and stands 5 ft. 8½ in.

There has been much competition for the services of Lythgoe, who during the past two seasons has scored 98 goals. He joined Stockport from Ashton National in 1932, and it is understood that Huddersfield have paid more than £3,000 for him.

Charlie Jones, the Notts manager, concluded his deal with the Torquay club officials at Bristol. Steele used to be with Oldham. He and Stabb would play for Notts against Fulham.

It is understood that Sunderland would like the Wolves about £1,200 for Goddard.

The joined Queen's Park Rangers from Redhill in 1925, heading their list of goal-scorers in each season from that point till the season before he left. He has so far made 222 League appearances and has obtained 151 goals.

Murphy became a professional with Derby County in 1921 and after seven seasons went to Bolton. Later he joined Mansfield and in 1931 was transferred to Norwich.

Millwall have signed J. W. Chadwin, a promising goalkeeper from Solihull Welfare, Notts.

Brighton and Hove Albion are giving a trial to W. Mullen, an inside-forward from Wallend.

B. Williams, the Llanfairfechan centre-forward, who has scored 15 goals in five games this season, has signed amateur forms for Millwall and would have a trial last month in a London Combination game.

Winner £450. Second £250. Third £150. For Australia Ponies. Winners of more than one race since 1st January, 1934, barred. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

7.—5 p.m.—Inverness Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this Season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

8.—5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(First Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this Season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

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ST. ANDREW'S STAKES

TWELFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING

The programme for the 12th Extra Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club, scheduled for December 1, will be as follows:—
 1.—2 p.m.—The "Evo" Handicap.—(Unofficial).—For China Ponies. Classic Winners barred. To be entered and ridden by Members of the Staff of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. and The Jardine Engineering Corporation, Ltd. Ponies to be the property of any Owner or Owners. Jockeys to be nominated with Entries. A Cup will be presented to the Winning Jockey. No Entrance Fee. No Stakes. One Mile.
 2.—2.30 p.m.—Galloway Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies. "B" Class. Entrance One Mile.
 3.—3 p.m.—St. Andrew's Stakes.—A Cup presented with \$750 added for Winner. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Winners at date of entry of more than \$4,000 in stakes since 1st January, 1934, weight for inches as per scale; of \$3,000 to \$4,000, 3 lb. allowance; of \$2,000 to \$3,000, 7 lb. allowance; of less than \$2,000, 10 lb. allowance. Jockey Allowance. Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$10. One and a Half Miles.



"Bunny" Austin, the British Davis Cup player, who is stated to be considering a handsome offer which has been made to him to turn professional.

4.—3.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Second Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. "D" Class. Subscribers of this Club of this Season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

Note.—One entry only will be made for the Comrie Handicap (Classes Nos. 4 and 8). Entries will be divided into first and second sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

5.—4 p.m.—Cliff Handicap.—Winner \$350. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies. "C" Class. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

6.—4.30 p.m.—Galloway Handicap.—(Continued on Previous Column.)

SATURDAY'S RACE CARD REVIEWED

HYDROPLANE NOT EXPECTED TO FOLLOW UP DERBY WIN

LOCAL QUADRUPLE CROWN

(By "Captain Foster")

The Hongkong Jockey Club has still to record its quadruple crown here. A sporting gesture on the part of Mr. Dunbar deprived Liberty Bay from achieving this unique distinction in 1932, although as an owner he won the four chief classics that year. Liberty Bay won the Hongkong Derby, The Champion Stakes and the Hongkong St. Leger. It was left to his stable companion Glencles to win the Autumn Champions.

In England, the classic races are confined to three year olds and, therefore, these classic events can only be won once by the same horse. On this principle, our classics in Hongkong should be the Hongkong Derby and Hongkong St. Leger, as these two events are confined to griffins of each year, and can only be won once by the same pony.

Records show that these two important races have been won on two occasions by the same pony. Liberty Bay was successful in 1932, and Trentbridge followed in his foot-steps in 1933.

ELECTRIC STAR'S CHANCES
 The 1934 Hongkong St. Leger comes up for decision to-morrow and I think I can safely say that this year's Derby winner, Hydroplane, will not join the select band of dual winners. Owing to what may be called the exigencies of training and other causes, such as the fact that one time—Hydroplane and Brilliant Star may be left out of one's calculations for to-morrow's premier race. I commiserate with the Plane Stable, but the Kong Stable is not so badly placed as it has a worthy substitute in Electric Star (Mr. Butler), who will no doubt be the Public's fancy. She is very fit and her recent winning form should show her in the picture at the finish in this important race. Mr. Li Shiu Pang will be starting both Soldier of Britain (Mr. Deitz) and Soldier of China (Mr. Pan). At the beginning of the year I thought the Derby was at the mercy of this Owner, as these two "grays" showed great promise. I still adhere to my opinion that Soldier of Britain is not a true stayer and, therefore, think Soldier of China will run a better race of the two in the Leger. Seattle (Mr. Davis), Heart's Glory (Mr. Deitz) and Gold Currency (Mr. Pih). I am inclined to support Chief Seattle for a win as he has great speed over a short distance. The pony, however, is not nearly as good as he was in the early part of the year but, I think, he is good enough to account for this field, with the possible exception of Heart's Glory, who, also has a fine turn of speed for short distances, and is in the fine fettle just now. We should see a great race between them.

TAIPO HANDICAP
 A good field will muster for this sprint, and I expect the finish will be fought out between Chief Seattle (Mr. Davis), Heart's Glory (Mr. Deitz) and Gold Currency (Mr. Pih). I am inclined to support Chief Seattle for a win as he has great speed over a short distance. The pony, however, is not nearly as good as he was in the early part of the year but, I think, he is good enough to account for this field, with the possible exception of Heart's Glory, who, also has a fine turn of speed for short distances, and is in the fine fettle just now. We should see a great race between them.

FANLING HANDICAP
 Young Chap (Mr. Pih) goes out in this race in preference to the St. Leger, but I have a feeling that this distance is too short for him. The opposition, however, is not particularly strong and therefore he should just about win. I like the chances of Sarabande (Mr. Pih) and In Good Time (Mr. P. P. Botelho) and of the two, my fancy is Sarabande, who is going well just now.

CASTLE PEAK HANDICAP
 This sprint race will attract Brechin (Mr. P. P. Botelho) Gladitor (Mr. Charles) High Speed (Mr. Pih). King's Bounty (Mr. Davis). King's Fancy (Mr. Heard) Macaroni (Mr. Fung) and Oak Bay (Mr. Proulx). The Dynast pair, Brechin and Oak Bay, appear to have the best chances of winning the race. King's Fancy is fast but I fear she has too much weight for her light frame to carry, and for this reason I cannot confidently say that she will win, although I am satisfied that she will run well. Her stable companion, King's Bounty is also very dangerous and can be depended upon to be in the picture. If we have a yielding course, Brechin will be bang up with the leaders at the finish but if the course is bone dry and hard, I am inclined to leave him out of one's reckoning for a win. He does not seem to relish hard going. Oak Bay appeals to me and I fancy his chances very much indeed for this race. He is fast over a short distance and his win in the Black's Link Handicap—carrying 160 lbs and in which the first half mile was done in 56 3/5 seconds left a deep impression on me.

SUB-GRIFFIN ST. LEGER
 The field for the Sub-Griffin St. Leger will be a small one as I gather that Chow Fan, Kindo, Little Beauty, Sarabande and Young Chap will not be competing. I was surprised to hear that Young Chap will be a non-starter. I considered his prospects very good as he has the reputation of being a good long distance pony. Tiny Star (Mr. Butler) has an outstanding chance of unseating the prize and he is my selection for a win. Cavalade (Mr. Pih) is dangerous and, in a slow run race, might quite easily win, as he has a fine burst of speed. St. Ives (Mr. Proulx) is capable of finishing in the first three if he is in the mood. Backing him is therefore somewhat what in the nature of a long shot. Copper Idol (Mr. P. P. Botelho) is quietly fancied but I do not think the pony looks as well as he did a month ago. Classic Hall (Mr. Heard) is moving nicely but I am afraid the distance of a mile and three-quarters may be beyond his compass.

FREEMANTLE ST. LEGER
 There are five entrants for the Freemantle St. Leger, and I gather all the animals will face the Starter. Naturally, on performance, Able Amazon (Mr. Butler) stands out. She is well and fit, and therefore I see no reason why she should not win. Racing Heart (Mr. Heard) and Bag Tor (Mr. Davis) have had a careful Leger preparation. I have no hesitation in saying that both are vastly improved animals since the Spring. The improvement is so marked that I gather both riders (especially Mr. Heard) are hopeful of extending Able Amazon, good

Bodyline Attacked By Hobbs

VOLUME WHICH MAY PROVOKE A STORM

In his book, "The Fight for the Ashes" (Harrap, 8s. 6d.), Jack Hobbs strongly condemns bodyline bowling and deems it imperative that the M.C.C. should come out with a definite lead. Hobbs avers that no comparison can be made between the bodyline bowling of current controversy and the bowling of George Hirst.

Any bowler can bowl fairly at the leg stump, but to say that bodyline is bowling to a leg field is to state only half the truth.

"It is the short bumping ball at the man when a leg field is set to which I and, I think, the Australians too, take strong objection."

That definition is probably the boldest ever yet made by any of the critics who saw the memorable Tests in Australia and at Nottingham. It will doubtless provoke considerable resentment. Hobbs declares that "only those who saw Larwood and Voce in

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Gordon Richards, the champion jockey, who completed his 200 winners this season at Derby on Wednesday.

action have any idea of what is meant by body-line."

Describing Australia as the better side in the Test Matches of last summer Hobbs makes an interesting analysis of O'Kelly and Grimmett and then refers in equal flattery terms to Bradman and Pomford who "killed" the English attackers in the last two Tests.

TEST-OBSSESSED
 As for the English batsmen, Hobbs thinks they were for the most part over-obsessed by the importance of a Test and failed to play their ordinary game.

Though England's Selection Committee is not definitely arraigned there occurs one reference to the Oval match in which the author affirms that "Wyatt was given a side that was all bits and pieces."

Illustrated by pictures and diagrams—the latter were drawn by W. Ferguson, the Australian official scorer—the book is devoted mainly to a sequential story of the whole four and it is dedicated to Mr. Edward Chattaway, the Editor of the London Star.

HOME RUGBY
 London, Nov. 15.
 Cambridge University suffered a heavy defeat at the hands of their Dublin University men yesterday, losing by 28 points to 5.

Gloucester registered a win against the Oxford Greyhounds of 18 points to 9.—Reuter.

be followed home by The Tiger (Mr. Choy Wing-chiu) and Jungle Jim (Mr. W. H. Choy). Wonderful Star (Mr. Tang Man-wa) and Spinaway (Capt. Jordan) may also figure in the finish. On a soft course Flying Tourist should not be entirely ignored.

My final selections will be given to-morrow.

PONY TRAINING TIMES

ST. LEGER CANDIDATES TRY OUT

The following times were clocked this morning:—

Mutiny Bay	1/4	31	58.1	27.1
Racing Heart	1/4	37.1	1.03.1	29
Little Beauty	1/4	35	1.08.1	31.1
Iron Grey	1/4	31		31
Daylight Eve	1/4	29.3		29.3
Great Hall	1/4	31	1.01.3	30.3
Classic Hall	1/4	33	1.04.1	31.1
Able Amazon	1/4	33	1.03	30
Racing Boy	1/4	30	50.4	20.4
Brechin	1/4	32		32
Flying Tourist	1/4	39.4	1.09.3	29.4
Soldier of Britain	1/4	31.2	1.02	30.3
Pie Face	1/4	34.1	1.02.2	28.1
Burgomaster	1/4	34.3	1.00.4	32.1
Fudge	1/4	39.3		33.3
King's Worthy	1/4	28		28.3
King's Bounty	1/4	28		28
Berla	1/4	33.3	1.00.2	26.4
Wonderful Star	1/4	30		30
Wayward Star	1/4	35.1	1.05	29.4
Electric Star	1/4	35	1.03.3	30.3
Don	1/4	30.2		30.2
Ribble	1/4	31.2	1.01.2	30.4
Bright Star	1/4	35	1.09	30.4
King's Warden	1/4	32.1	1.01	28.1
Zero	1/4	30	1.01	31
Brilliant Star	1/4	35	1.05.1	30.1
Sarabande	1/4	35	1.05.1	30.1
Bold Commander	1/4	31	1.04.3	33.3
Chesterfield	1/4	31.3		31.3
King's Parade	1/4	40	1.17.1	31.1
Claditor	1/4	40	1.17.1	31.1
Soldier of China	1/4	34.1	1.05.1	31.3
Copper Idol	1/4	30.3	1.01.2	30.4
Mayflower	1/4	30.3	1.00.2	29.4
Soldier of Britain	1/4	33.1	1.03.3	30.2
Spinaway	1/4	33.1	1.03.3	30.2
West Parade	1/4	35.3	1.09.3	31
Macaroni	1/4	32.2	1.02.1	29.4
The Tiger	1/4	29.4	1.00.1	30.2
Claditor	1/4	33.1	1.03	29.4
Sole Star	1/4	38.4	1.09.1	30.2
Racing Luck	1/4	36.1	1.07.1	31
Kindo	1/4	30.1	1.07.1	31
No Fear	1/4	28.4		28.4
Cavalade	1/4	28.4		28.4
Lighthouse	1/4	30.4	1.08.2	31.3
Delightful Chance	1/4	30.4	1.08.2	31.3
Liberty of Fortune	1/4	33.3	1.04.2	30.4
Liberty Bay	1/4	29.1		29.1
Young Chap	1/4	33.1	1.08.2	33.3
Colombo	1/4	33.1	1.05	31.4
In Good Time	1/4	32.4	1.03.1	30.2
St. Ives	1/4	32.4	1.03.1	30.2
Hydroplane	1/4	32.4	1.03.1	30.2

FRED PERRY CASE WILL HAVE SEQUEL

TENNIS STORM BREWING

The case of Fred Perry, who was recently asked to choose between earning £20,000 as a professional and remaining an amateur, is likely to have an early sequel at the annual general meeting of the Lawn Tennis Association.

It is possible that a strong "drive" will be made to get more enlightened laws in regard to the amateur status.

The following questions will be asked:—
 If professional golfers, cricketers or footballers are allowed to play for the highest honours of their respective games, in opposition to, and in association with, amateurs, why should professional lawn tennis players be denied the same privilege?

Why cannot they play for their country as professionals in other sports do?

As an indication of the official mind on this matter, a highly placed member of the L.T.A. replied when asked the questions set out above:

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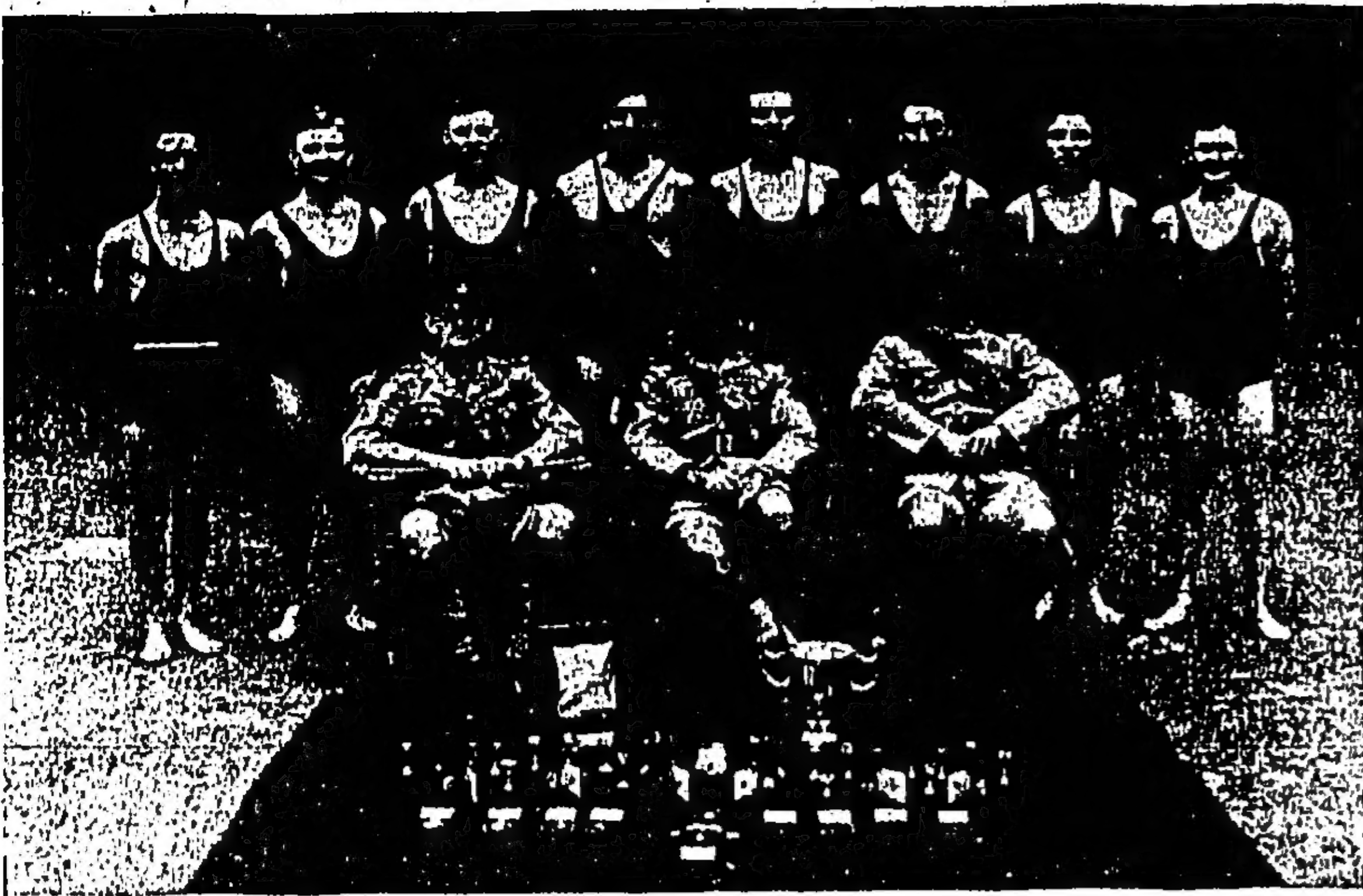
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The swimming and water polo team of the Headquarters Wing of the South Wales Borderers, with trophies. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

LOCAL BADMINTON

Fire Brigade Defeat Recreio Team

In a friendly mixed doubles badminton game at the Fire Brigade Recreation Club on Wednesday evening, the Fire Brigade defeated the Club de Recreio by five sets to four. The standard of play was high, both teams displaying form which should carry them far in the League tourney. The results were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Shute (Fire Brigade) beat Mr. and Mrs. C. Silva (Recreio) 2-1; Mr. and Mrs. A. Remedios (Fire Brigade) beat Mr. and Mrs. A. Remedios (Recreio) 2-1; Mr. and Mrs. E. de Sousa (Fire Brigade) beat Mr. and Mrs. E. de Sousa (Recreio) 2-1; Mr. and Mrs. W. Macintosh (Fire Brigade) beat Mr. and Mrs. W. Macintosh (Recreio) 2-1.

HOCKEY

The following will represent the Radio Cosmos Hockey Team in a friendly match against H.M.S. Wild Swan on Saturday, at Carline Hill h.o. at 4 p.m.:—Gurind Singh; Jagat Singh; W. J. Chanson; A. Gouveya; Karmal Singh; Surin Singh; Awtar Singh; Attar Singh; F. A. Kemp (Captain). Reserves:—Lo So and N. Osman.

Oliveira and Miss Silva 21-20, beat Remedios and Miss Remedios 21-6; beat Mr. and Mrs. de Sousa 21-8; E. Greenwood and Miss C. Weir (Fire Brigade) lost to Oliveira and Miss Silva 4-21; beat Remedios and Miss Remedios 11-21; lost to Mr. and Mrs. de Sousa 1-21.

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LOCAL CRICKET NOTES K.C.C.'S DISAPPOINTING BATTING DISPLAY AGAINST THE CLUB SATURDAY'S PROSPECTS

(By R. Abbit)

The main event of the week-end cricket was the two day game between the H.K.C.C. and Kowloon on the Club Ground. To be quite frank, it was rather a disappointing game and ran fairly close to expectation generally, though I feel sure the K.C.C. batting is not really as bad as it was on Monday. I think the weather had a lot to do with it!

On Saturday the Club opened on a good and easy wicket, and the winning of the toss may have had quite a lot to do with the result—in one way—though I do not think the Club could have lost. As it was, the first wicket put on just over forty before one of Hung's shorter balls turned in a bit and hit Duckitt's gloves, with the result of a catch at the wicket. After this, there was the only sensation of the afternoon, as Alec Pearce shaped to hook the first ball he received and, as it kept very low, put it straight to A.T. Lay at forward short-leg. Just after this, Pearce tried to drive F.S.W. Smith, who had no one right out, and failed to carry deep mid-on (52-3-2). But only two more wickets fell during the afternoon. Batting does not seem capable of quick scoring, and after batting about an hour and a half for thirty-seven, asked one to mid-off in trying to force the game. The rest was good batting on the part of Owen Hughes and Hayward, and had bowling on the part of Kowloon. The only two troublemakers who shaped well were Robert Lee and Burnett, in his first spell. Smith kept a fair length, but seemed to lack devil and spin off the pitch.

A BEASTLY DAY

Monday was, frankly, a perfectly foul day, and the Club side went out to field in rather a beastly drizzle which lasted off and on until 11.15. From the moment that Redmond yoked Teddy Fincher with the score at eighty only, nothing went well for them. Ramsay—contrary to certain newspaper reports—made a very pretty twenty, in which he showed all his old skill. But at thirty, he lost sight of Ricketts' first ball—(really they should heighten the screen or fillet Ricketts a bit)—and got inside it. Owen Hughes made one of his ananda-like catches at full length in the slips. After that Stapleton alone scored on terms with the bowling, and when just after the interval, Redmond got a real good 'un past him all was over, for the miserable score of eighty-four.

WORSE TO COME

The second innings was even worse, though more runs were scored. Teddy Fincher led off brightly with a quick twenty-seven, but he tried to go too fast and skied Ricketts to cover. Stapleton—I like the name "Chat-iron"—batted an hour for the first and Willy Hung batted twenty minutes for thirty-eight, and hit eight fours, showing the Club attack was not as good as it had seemed to be. It was, however, pretty useful. At one time Ricketts had figures 7-4-6-4, but eleven runs were taken off his eighth over. He bowled well, but was only opposed to the most unenterprising batting. In the end the H.K.C.C. won hands down, and unless the Kowloon side can dig out a new bowler I am afraid they will not be much in the picture, unless they can play their Military members.

TO-MORROW'S CRICKET

TEAMS FOR LEAGUE MATCHES

The following will represent the Indian R. C. first eleven in a League match against the Kowloon C. C. seniors at King's Park to-morrow: F. D. Pereira (Capt.), A. R. Minu, A. H. Madar, A. H. Ramjahn, A. R. Abbas, K. Nazarin, M. P. Madar, S. A. Ismail, M. el Arculli, A. S. Sufiad and A. Rahmin.

The following will represent the Indian R. C. second eleven in a League match against the Kowloon C. C. seniors at Sookunpoos: H. T. Barma (Capt.), A. K. Ismail, A. M. Ramjahn, M. R. Abbas, S. Abbas, A. Baker, A. H. Baker, A. R. Marker, A. R. Sufiad, A. R. Kitchell and M. Afzal.

CRAIGENGOWER JUNIORS

The Junior eleven of the Craigengower C. C. to meet the R. A. S. C. in a Second Division League match at Happy Valley will be composed of the following players:—W. K. Way (Capt.), E. Souza, C. W. Lam, G. Souza, A. R. H. Ismail, C. E. Yong, J. R. Lake, A. Kitchell, E. S. Cunningham, G. A. Lee and N. Broadbridge.

ARMY v. CRAIGENGOWER

A friendly match between the Army and the Craigengower C. C. seniors is being played at Sookunpoos to-morrow when the civilian club will be represented by the following players:—A. B. Hanson (Capt.), J. Youngs, F. R. Zimmerman, E. C. Barry, J. W. Leonard, F. K. Lee, Y. Abbas, L. Hubbard, A. J. Flynn, G. Lai and A. A. Lewis.

A NAVAL YARD TEAM

The following will represent the R. N. A. Depot's eleven in a friendly cricket match against Indian R. C. seniors on Sunday, on the latter's ground, commencing 2 p.m.:—W. H. Anderson, L. T. Hubbard, Lieut.-Com. F. T. Boswell, M.S., E. C. G. Barry (Capt.), A. R. Abbas, A. Rahmin, J. W. Walker, R. C. Peckham, A. G. Edwards, T. W. Duffield and K. Nazarin. Scorer:—A. Meloy.

INTRA CLUB FIXTURE

The following teams are to play on Sunday at 11 a.m. sharp in a Kowloon C. C. Intra-Club League match:

F. A. Munn's team:—F. A. Munn (Capt.), A. E. Perry, R. Jones, C. B. R. Sargent, C. I. Stapleton, H. Hampton, S. P. Simcocks, A. A. Dand, F. C. Cleme, G. H. King, H. Overy, A. J. Conles, V. Freeman and E. Zimmerman.

F. E. Lawrence's team:—F. E. Lawrence (Capt.), R. Lee, V. A. Durling, B. Lay, E. F. Fincher, F. Broadbridge, S. A. Gray, S. Jex, W. Mutchy, M. R. Swain, L. A. Oppenheim, J. Fraser, W. C. Excell and N. A. E. Mackay.

REFEREE IN A BOX

PLAY CONTROLLED BY LOUD SPEAKER

A football match was recently refereed, by microphone and loud-speakers, from a box at a great height in a stand overlooking the ground.

The experiment, which was successful, was made by Mr. V. H. ("Billy") Walker, secretary-manager of Sheffield Wednesday, at the Wednesday's ground, and the game so refereed was the first half of a practice match.

Mr. Walker was in the box used in connection with the display of results.

He used a whistle in the ordinary way, and also took the opportunity now and again to give advice to the teams on tactics.

The players responded without difficulty, and in a way that suggested that the idea has possibilities, as men of experience would be able to officiate off the field long after they were unable to run about.

TWO REFEREES

The only assistance Mr. Walker needed was that of two linesmen, who remained at the far end of the ground for the special purpose of assisting with off-side decisions.

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Boxer In Car Smash

REGGIE MEEN'S ARM FRACTURED

Beggie Meen, former heavy-weight boxing champion, is in hospital at Malvern with a fractured arm as the result of a recent road crash.

Meen was driving his car from Leicester to Swansea, where he was to have fought last month. While taking a sharp, left-hand corner at Colwall, near Leckbury, the car struck the kerb and turned over. Meen's arm was crushed under the car.

His manager, Mr. James Pantler, said after the accident: "Owing to the severe injuries Meen suffered in a motor accident, when he was on the way to fight Charlie Bundy at Swansea. I am of the opinion that he will be unfit to fight again."

"He has a compound fracture of the right arm and severe laceration, and there I fear have put an end to his fighting."

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EUROPEAN WOMAN CONVICTED

SENT TO HOUSE OF DETENTION

Allegations of having been "hounded" and references to "untouchable things" in England, were made by Florence Helen Stratford, aged 40, an English woman, when she was again brought before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon on a charge of being apparently a vagrant.

Defendant was remanded "technically in Police custody" from Wednesday afternoon for evidence regarding an alleged unpaid bill from the Peninsula Hotel.

At yesterday's proceedings, Mr. A. K. Dimond, Manager of the Peninsula Hotel, testified that he first saw defendant on June 18. She came to Hongkong with a letter of introduction from a travelling agency in Australia, and was allotted a room in the Peninsula Hotel. Meals were supplied to her by the hotel.

A bill was presented to her weekly as was the custom, but half the time she was at the hotel she was indisposed and he did not press her for payment. However, she was finally pressed to pay her account and a formal letter was sent to her on July 16, asking for three weeks payment. Witness saw defendant on July 18 and she said she would not pay though she admitted that she had the money.

Being Hounded.

"She said she wanted to get to the bottom of something. She said something was hounding her," added Mr. Dimond.

"I naturally was not interested in Miss Stratford's private affairs. I was only interested in her payment of the account, but she maintained this attitude all along."

"I left the room and wrote her another letter. I told her that unless settlement was forthcoming within 24 hours we would be reluctantly compelled to ask her to give up her room."

The next day, witness had another talk with the defendant, but the conversation was more or less a repetition of that of the previous day. Miss Stratford always refusing to settle her account, which amounted to \$255.40.

His Worship: Has any of this money been paid since?

Witness: No.

This concluded the evidence for the Police.

His Worship (to defendant): There's enough evidence here to make it necessary for me to ask you to show me your means.

Defendant: Do you think so?

His Worship: Do you think so?

Defendant: No, I said "Do you think so?" because I don't.

His Worship: Do you wish to give evidence?—No, thank you.

Being Persecuted.

Is there anything you wish to say to me?—I wish to know why some people have been "estranging me" from my work, my friends, everything. Is it possible to find these people and ask why they have estranged me from everything? It is getting rather hard.

Defendant added that she had to leave England for Australia, and from Australia to Hongkong. This had been going on for a period of eight years, she said. She wanted

to know the reason why these people were doing all these things to her.

"If you want proof of what I have said, you can read my diary which I have kept day to day," she said.

His Worship: Why did you come to Hongkong?

Defendant: To work.

His Worship: Did they interfere with your work in Australia?—Yes.

Could you give us an account of what your work is?—Writing. I have written articles for newspapers and that sort of thing. I travel as a journalist, but I am not really a journalist. I write anything that comes to my mind. I started out as a novelist, but I have not been successful yet.

Have you made inquiries here for work?—Yes. I have been making enquiries at the P.W.D. I saw Mr. Davies once, and I saw Mr. Nolloth, of the Registration Department, twice. I have also been to an employment bureau.

Without result?—Yes, without result.

Have you any passage ticket at present?—Not here.

Have you one anywhere else?—I have sent it back to Australia to get the money on it.

Couldn't you get the money through the agents here?—I would get more money if I sent it back to Australia.

"Untouchable Things."

Besides these things you have just mentioned, have you other troubles?—Not in Hongkong, not in Australia, but there are untouchable things in England.

His Worship remarked that since it was impossible to get work for her in Hongkong—and she herself had tried—the best thing would be to provide her with lodging until the Government could come to some arrangement regarding her future.

His Worship said he did not know what the "untouchable things" in England were; but it seemed that her only resources were in England and that the only thing to do was to send her back there.

Defendant: It's no use sending me back there. I would be walking into it again.

Detective Sergeant Mottram interposed and said that defendant had once told the Police that if she could get touch with a certain Hon. Miss Ald, who belonged to a society which had interested itself in Miss Stratford's case, defendant might consider returning to England. This Hon. Miss Ald resided at Tonbridge Wells.

Defendant: Me? No. Miss Ald's interest is Australia.

When defendant again referred to the "people in England," his Worship asked, "Who are these people you are referring to all the time?"

Defendant: People with whom I have lived for ten years. They are so annoyed with me over the things I have done that they are trying to estrange me from my work. There are things I cannot tell the Court. Private things in my life.

Defendant Convicted.

His Worship: Well, I am afraid I can come to no other conclusion but to convict defendant as a vagrant in the sense that she has no visible means of support at the present moment. The question is whether she is to be allowed to live here and look for work or to send her back.

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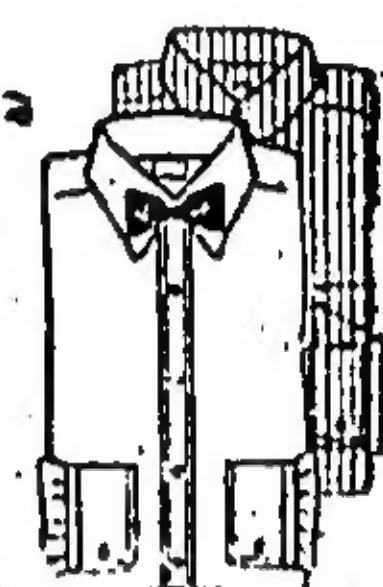
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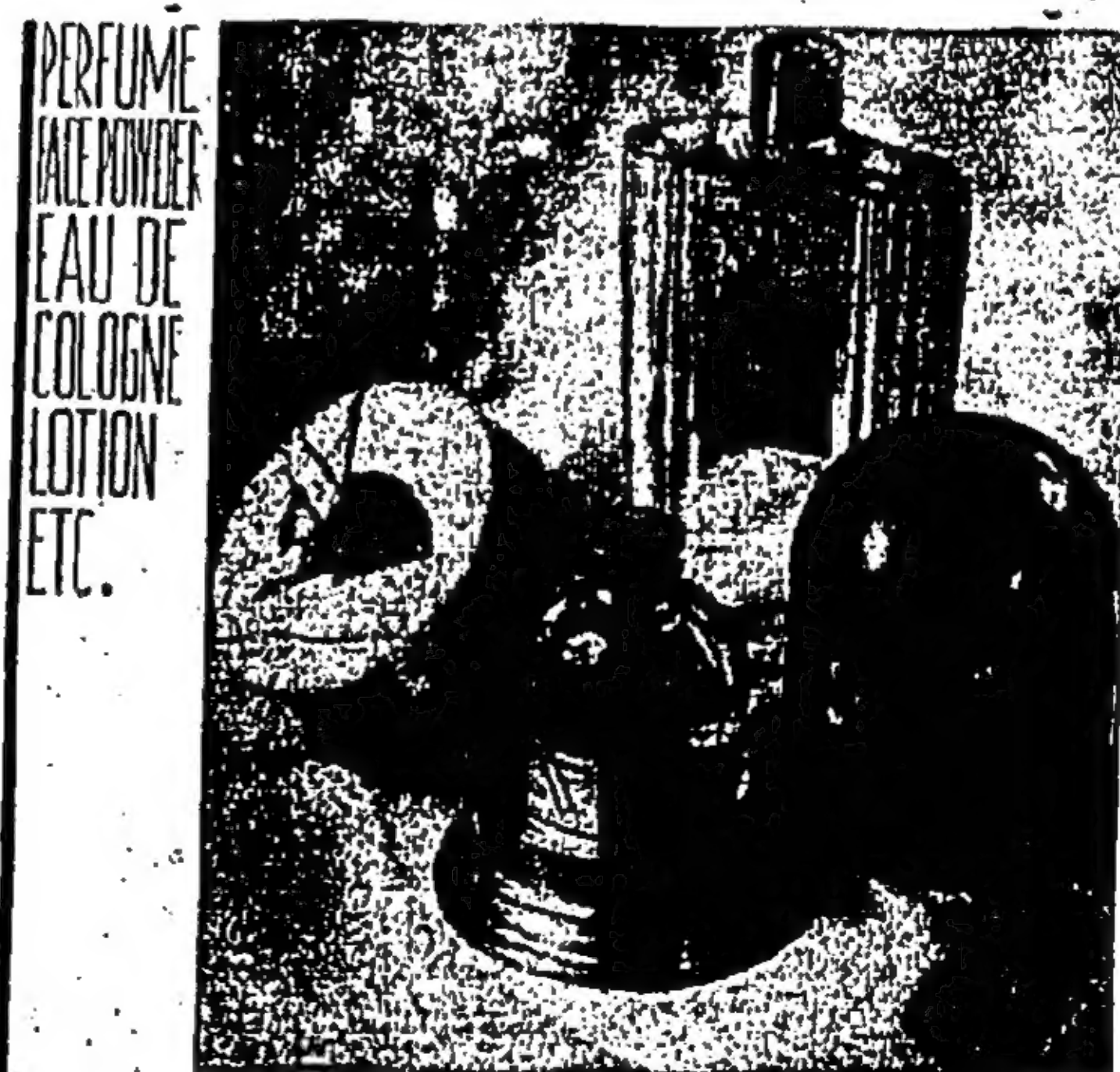
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THE VOLUNTEERS

CORPS ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps orders by Lieut.-Colonel H. B. L. Dowling, O.B.E. Commandant, Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps. Thursday, Nov. 15.

1. General
(a) The Miniature Range is allotted to the Adjutant (for examination) on Thursday, 22nd November, 1934.
(b) Checking of Address Register.—Officers demanding Units are requested to check the above Register with their Records during their Training in Camp.
In case of any Transfer, Resignation or Leave is omitted, they should inform the Adjutant by writing and not alter the Register themselves.
(c) Uniform-Shirts.—All recruits who have not been issued with Khaki Shirts will draw them from Store on Tuesday, 20th November, 1934.

2. Parade
(a) Corps Engineers.—Parade at Miniature Range at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 19th November, 1934.
Friday, 23rd November.—Camp at Belcher's Fort, parade at Port at 6 p.m.
Dress: Jackets, Slacks, Caps, Belts, Frogs and Braces, Rifles, Bayonets and Gas Masks will be carried.
Extra luggage to be at Headquarters by 12 a.m. Friday, November 23. Training will finish at 10 p.m. on 25th November, 1934.
All names of members attending must be sent to C. S. M. by 19th November, 1934.
(b) Machine Gun Battalion: No. 3 (Anzac) Company.—Parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 19th November, 1934.
The Company will proceed to Camp at Fanling on Friday, 23rd November. Trains will leave Kowloon at 6.05 p.m., 6.30 p.m. and 7.40 p.m.

Dress will be Marching Order as follows: Field Service Hats, K. D. Jackets and Shorts, Puttees and Hosiery, Black Boots of regular pattern, Forge Cap (carried in Haversack), Rifles, Slings and Bayonets, Belts, Pouches, Braces, Haversack, Water bottle, Great Coat slung on the back and Box Respirators (slung). Rifles and Bayonets may be drawn from Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 19th November under C.Q.M.S. Sunley or between the hours of 9 a.m. to 12 noon, 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. or 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Week days (Wed-

nesdays, Saturdays and Sundays excepted).

(c) Corps Infantry (Portuguese).—The Corps Infantry will parade at Headquarters on Tuesday, November, 20 at 5.30 p.m.

Platoon Commanders will instruct their respective Platoon in Field Signal &c. in preparation for Camp. Recruits will parade under C.S.M. Slattery for Arms and Foot Drill. Belts and Frogs must be used.

Camp.—The Company will proceed to Camp on November 23 by the 5.08 p.m. or 6.30 p.m. Train.

Orderly Officer.—20th November to 27th November—2/Lieut. F. P. Sequeira.

(d) Corps 1st Battery.—All ranks are requested to make an effort to attend the Shoot at Stonecutters Range on Thursday, 22nd November, details of which were contained in Battery Circular dated 1st November, 1934.

Names of those intending to be present must be sent to O.G., 1st Battery by Monday, 19th November, 1934.

Dress.—Uniform, Slacks, Jackets, Blue Caps and Bandollors.

(e) Armoured Car Section.—There will be no parade on Tuesdays until further notice.

3. Appointment
No. 1671, Private R. S. Meadows, Corps Machine Gun Battalion Headquarters, is appointed Lance Corporal with effect from 13th November, 1934.

4. Leave
No. 1097, Private A. F. Walkdon, Armoured Car Section, granted leave from 13.11.34 to 5.12.34 inclusive.

No. 1366, Private C. L. Gregory, No. 1 Platoon, No. 1 (M.G.) Coy., granted two months leave as from 11.11.34 to 10.1.35.

No. 2083, Private C. E. Stone, No. 3 Platoon, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, granted six months leave as from 10.11.34 to 10.5.35.

No. 1694, 1/Corporal H. S. V. Mossop, Machine Gun Troop, granted eight months leave as from 3.11.34 to 2.7.35.

5. Attachment
The following recruits will be attached to No. 1 (M.G.) Company for action and training purposes during Camping Season commencing from 18th November, 1934:

Privates W. J. Dyer, E. J. Porter, G. E. Roylance, G. L. Heyman, F. A. Broadbridge, J. D. Mackenzie, S. Baker, L. A. Sanb, G. E. Lowe, A. W. Rowe, N. E. Broadbridge, S. A. Broadbridge, J. Winyard.

6. Strength
2244 Private J. R. Winyard, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, 2.11.34.

PLANE CRASHES

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Sydney, Nov. 15.
Three Englishmen (comprising the crew) and one Australian passenger were killed to-day when a new air liner crashed from 1,000 feet near Longreach, Central Queensland.

The machine was proceeding from London to Brisbane for use on the Singapore-Brisbane section of the new England-Australia air service.

The crew had been lent for the delivery flight by Imperial Airways.—*Reuter.*

(ed.) P. S. M. WILKINSON, Captain, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

AFFILIATED UNITS

St. John Nursing Detachment

1. General
(a) As it will not be possible to obtain the services of an examiner on Wednesday, 21st November, the examination in Home Nursing will take place at Volunteer Headquarters (Miniature Range) on Thursday, 22nd November, beginning at 5.30 p.m.

Will members who wish to be examined please inform the Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps by Tuesday, 20th November, 1934.

(b) Through the courtesy of Dr. J. H. Montgomery, occasional consultant of the Operating Theatre, Matilda Hospital, are available to members. There will be one on Sunday, 18th November at 11.30 a.m. and members desirous of attending should be at the Hospital at that hour. Tours on other dates can be arranged with the Lady Superintendent, Mrs. E. G. Stewart (Tel. No. 24434).

2. Resignation
Leaving the Colony.—Mrs. M. G. Trail as from 16th November, 1934.

3. Parade
The eighth lecture on Home Nursing will take place at Volunteer Headquarters (Lecture Room) at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 19th November, 1934.

Practice for those qualified will be held at the same place and time (repeated).

(ed.) M. M. MELLON, Acting Commandant, St. John Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

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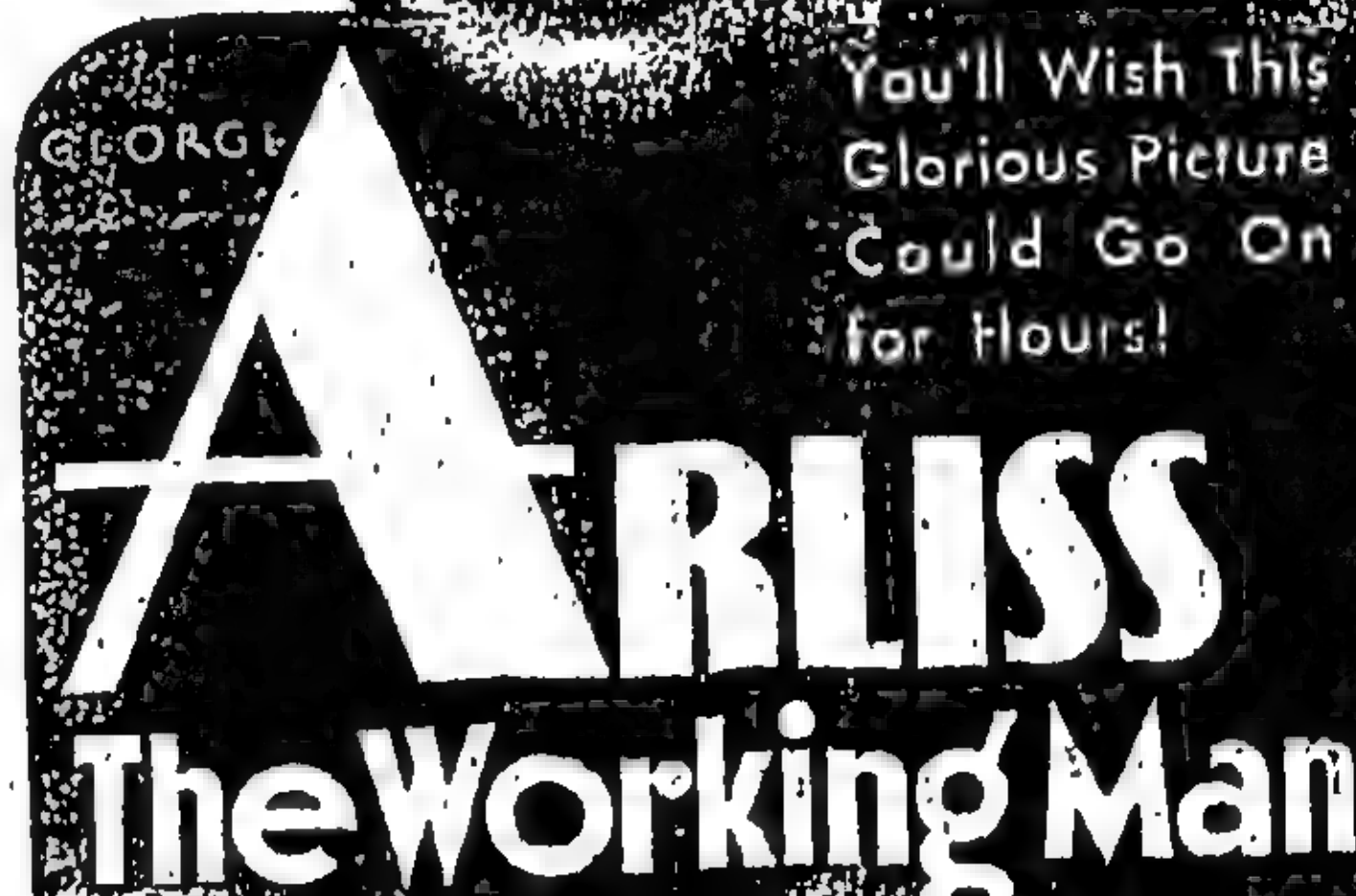
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SERIAL STORY

The Clue Of The Forgotten Murder:

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BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

When DAN BLECKER, junior publisher of The Blade, learns that CHARLES MORDEN, a famous criminologist, is solving the murder of FRANK B. CATHAY, wealthy and prominent, who had threatened to sue the Blade because the newspaper reported that the man arrested, giving the name of Cathay and accompanied by a girl called MARY TRIGGS, was an impostor. MRS. CATHAY accuses Blecker her husband will drop the charges if The Blade publishes a revelation, and this he does.

A day later Morden is found dead. Shortly after that comes news that Cathay is dead—possibly of poison. Blecker goes to see Sidney Griff.

CHAPTER IX

Blecker spoke slowly. "You understand," he said, "that Morden was investigating Cathay's life. Cathay isn't what he's cracked up to be."

"How do you know that?" Griff asked.

"Because," said Blecker, "I've been in the newspaper business too long to accept any small town celebrity at his face value."

"Riverview isn't exactly a small town," Griff pointed out.

"The same principle applies," Blecker said. "It's a suburb, and as far as that's concerned I won't accept any man at his face value. Not unless he's a gangster, or a crook."

"That's one thing you find out from being in the newspaper business. You're a criminologist, Griff, you know crooks. I am a newspaper man. I know people. And this man Cathay is simply too good to be true. The president of the luncheon club, the director of the chamber of commerce, a city councilman on a reform ticket. And his wife had fear in her eyes."

"Fear?" asked Griff. "She was afraid of something."

"Afraid of the newspaper?" asked Griff.

"Perhaps," Blecker said. "But it looked to me as though she was too adept at covering up the fear to have recently acquired it. I would say it was something she had been living with for weeks or months."

"And there was some talk about Cathay's death being due to poison?"

"Apparently there was," Blecker said, "but it's being hushed up. Cathay was an influential man in Riverview. The family have influential friends. There were two doctors on the case. One of the doctors thought that the circumstances surrounding the death of Cathay made it resemble poisoning. The other doctor attributed it to natural causes. He's signing a death certificate."

"There'll be no autopsy?" asked Griff.

"There's going to be an autopsy," Blecker said grimly. "I'm going up to interview Beckley, the editor of The Riverview Chronicle. That was the newspaper that was on the opposite side of the public fence from the Cathay side. Beckley and I have exchanged favours in the past. He started investigating the Cathay death and then telephoned me that he was going to have to lay off because of pressure that was being brought to bear on him by members of the chamber of commerce, of the luncheon club and various banking influences."

"In other words," Griff said, "Cathay's friends are trying to stop a scandal?"

Blecker nodded. "Subject, of course," Griff went on, "to the fact that there's a strong probability that this was due to natural causes, and that the younger doctor simply made a mistake in diagnosis."

"That, of course, is a possibility," Blecker said.

"Getting back to this woman angle," Griff told him, "I take it you feel Morden was murdered because he was on the trail of some woman who had been having an affair with Cathay. Is that right?"

"That's right," Griff went on. "Then obviously," Griff went on, "the woman would not have been guilty of the murder."

Blecker stared at him. "How do you figure that out?" he asked.

"Quite simple. A woman's good name is, of course, an important possession to her. But a woman of the type who could carry on an affair with a man of the social prominence of Frank B. Cathay is probably the type of woman who does very much for pleasure. She's probably a woman who has an apartment of her own. Who comes and goes as she pleases and doesn't have to account to any man."

"That's reasonable," Blecker agreed. "That's the case," Griff went on, "such a woman would hardly commit murder to protect her so-called 'good name.' On the other hand, Cathay's good name involves political prestige, social prestige and rich financial resources."

"On the other hand, I don't try to follow a cold trail while our quarry sits still. I try to devise ways and means of keeping the quarry restless, keeping it moving around. Then it's always leaving a 'fresh trail.' In other words, I play checkers with them. I keep moving my men so that they are forced to make some move."

"If you've ever hunted deer, you know what I mean," Griff said. "The hunter who tries to follow a cold trail doesn't get his bucks as regularly as the man who sits down some place on a rock and makes the deer keep moving."

"But," Blecker said, "suppose you sit on a rock and the deer don't move?"

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eliminated Morden from the picture, what would be his logical next step?"

"You mean the woman?" Blecker asked.

"Exactly," Griff said. "He would see that the woman was removed from the picture. Either by seeing that her lips were silenced, or by seeing that she was placed in a position where she was not readily accessible to those who were investigating Morden's death. Remember this, that the murderer knew that Morden was working for the newspaper. He knew that Morden was working to uncover evidence against Cathay. He was making daily reports. He didn't know the nature of those reports. Morden told you over the telephone that he didn't wish to mention any names but the man who murdered him—and the crime indicates that it Morden didn't know how much

Blecker nodded thoughtfully. "Therefore," Griff said, "I would suggest that you do two things. That you concentrate upon finding Mary Briggs and that you make a complete investigation of every disappearance case where the party who disappeared was a woman, and that the time of disappearance was within the last 48 hours."

Blecker's eyes glinted with appreciation. "That," he said, "is an idea."

There was a moment of silence. Blecker took the pipe from his mouth, scraped out the ash and dropped the pipe into his pocket.

"You understand, Griff," he said, "this is the first time we've ever had occasion to employ you. I know something of your work from a standpoint of results, but I don't know how this investigation will take over, and just how much are we expected to do?"

"Let's not have any misunderstanding," Griff said. "You're to do it all."

"Every bit of it," Griff said. "All I do is furnish ideas and coordinate information. You get the facts. I fit them together and direct the search for additional facts."

"I'll virtually amounts," Blecker said, "to putting our men at your disposal."

"You can hire private detectives if you wish," Griff said.

"Our men are better than private detectives."

"Then you can use them, if it's economically advantageous for you to do so. I don't care. I gather any means of detecting the facts that are gathered and suggest the direction in which a search should be prosecuted, for additional facts. Also, I play human checkers."

"Human checkers?" Blecker asked.

"That's what I call it," Griff said. "A lot of detectives monkey around with dead clues. They take some inanimate object and attach a great deal of importance to it. I don't. I feel that the solution of every crime depends upon the animate, rather than the inanimate. Not that I overlook inanimate clues. I try to notice such clues, and to give them due importance, but I don't attach an undue importance to them."

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moving. You can do that by making some commotion elsewhere which makes them uneasy and apprehensive. Then they start moving around through the brush."

(To Be Continued.)

CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

One of the unique features of "Twenty Million Sweethearts" the First National radio romance which opens to-morrow at the Alhambra, Radio Rogers, the famous imitators of the stars of the air. The three rogues, Jim Hollingwood, Eddie Bartell and Henry Taylor, have so thoroughly perfected the art of imitating the human voice that it is practically impossible for the listener to tell whether he is hearing an imitation of the star or the star himself. In "Twenty Million Sweethearts" those three imitate a wide variety of radio talent including the most popular speakers and crooners. Their imitations for the picture include Ben Bernie, Russ Colombo, Singing Sam, Morton Downey, Arthur Tracy, the Street Singer, Rudy Vallee, Amos and Andy, Joe Penner, Kate Smith and Bing Crosby. This is but one of the many novel features in the picture which combines comedy, drama and romance with the enthralling musical hits of the year. The picture also introduces a new romantic team in Dick Powell and Ginger Rogers both famous for their singing voices as well as acting ability. Other specialty numbers include songs by the Four Mills Brothers and their guitar and music by Ted Fio Rito and his band. Pat O'Brien has the leading comedy role while others in the cast include Allen Jenkins, Grant Mitchell, Joseph Cawthorne, Joan Wheeler, Henry O'Neill and Johnny Arthur. The picture was directed by Ray Enright from the screen play by Warren Duff and Harry Sauber based on the story by Paul Flinder Moss and Jerry Wald. The music and lyrics are by Harry Warren and Al Dubin.

"Death Takes A Holiday"

Having won one Motion Picture Academy Award with his thrilling double role in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," Frederic March makes another bid for this distinction in "Death Takes A Holiday," the Paramount picture directed by Mitchell Leisen which opens on Sunday at the Queen's Theatre. As in the Robert Louis Stevenson story, the chief character role in the Alberto Casella drama, "Death Takes A Holiday," played by March, is a dual personality type, and here again, March handles the part with consummate ease and convincing realism. Leisen, the director, frankly believes that March's role will receive considerable attention from the Academy. In the first part of "Death Takes A Holiday," March masquerades as a "shadow," a sinister figure, capable of destruction at will. Inter-vening scenes find him transformed into a dashing Russian prince, a gay playboy, taking his first fling at love and life, but always conscious that in three days he will be again the "shadow." As the Russian prince, March enters the home of a distinguished family as a mysterious guest, seeking the meaning of love, he tests the young women of the villa, each in turn. Each of them is attracted to him, but only one understands his true personality and is willing to love him with all the heart, mind and soul. The surprising cast is notable for its great names. Headed by Evelyn Venable, the young stage actress who created a sensation in her first screen role with Dorothea Weick in "Cradle Song" it includes Sir Guy Standing, Kent Taylor, Kathleen Howard and Henry Travers. The play was adapted into

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"Straight Is the Way"

Drama... pathos... human interest... and a fair sprinkling of humour—all these are to be found in the new picture, "Straight Is the Way" which opened yesterday at the Queen's Theatre. It is a story that requires the services of finished actors, for it is the gripping drama of the travails of one of New York's East Side families—and of the problems of life and love that entangle a returned ex-convict who is determined to keep to the straight and narrow path. Franchot Tone tops the cast with his portrayal of Benny, the boy just out of prison. It is an entirely new characterization for Tone, one proving his ability to handle difficult dramatic roles, and should boost him a notch higher toward stardom. May Robson, as the aging mother who fears the return of her boy to his old habits, gives a performance equalled only by her work in "Lady for a Day." Gladys George, recently of the New York stage, makes her screen debut as Shirley, the girl who tries but fails to win back Benny's love. She brings a new type of "vamp" to the screen and we predict bigger things for her. Karen Morley, after a too-long absence from pictures, makes a triumphant return as Bertha, the girl who has been faithful to Benny through his long imprisonment. Other good performances are contributed by Jack LaRue, C. Henry Gordon, and William Bakewell.

"Servants' Entrance"

When Janet Gaynor has a screen father, that's news. And when she selects the same actor to be her parent in two pictures, that's even more unusual. As a rule the film's tiniest redhead is an orphan in her pictures, or at least there is no visible father anywhere in the background. In the 20 starring offering toward the end of the Fox Film to date she has had only five "fathers," William Collier, Sr., Robert McWade, Duff Dudley Dicker, Will Rogers and Walter Connolly, who was her father in "Paddy, the Next Thing." In her latest vehicle, "Servants' Entrance," in which she co-starred with Lew Ayres, Miss Gaynor's role manufacturer, and she chose Walter Connolly again to play the role. Ned Sparks, Louise Dresser, Astrid Allwyn, G. F. Houston, Jr., Siegfried Rumann, Astrid Allwyn and other favourites are in the cast of the picture, a hilarious comedy-romance of a new type in Gaynor annals. Winfield Sheehan produced it and Frank Lloyd directed from San Francisco. The screen play of

the Sigrid Boo novel. The picture comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday.

"Lilly Turner"

Not every actor knows how to fight in a film fight and that makes it tough on the player who has to take a cinematic licking for the benefit of the camera. Frank McHugh, an Irish Chatterton's husband in her new First National picture, "Lilly Turner," now playing at the Alhambra, faced such a dilemma during the filming of that picture. He was to be "knocked into a cocked hat," the script said, by Gordon Westcott, a youthful actor who was admittedly not trained in "pulling punches." What added to the complications was that William A. Wellman, a glutton for realism, was to direct the scene. All through his lunch hour McHugh worried aloud and at length about the scene which was no shortly to be followed. "I'll get it in the neck sure," he grumbled. "Gordon's nervous about it too and that means curtains for Frankie McHugh. You wait and see." And those who waited saw McHugh taking the licking of his life. Wellman saw to it. He never takes a fight scene but once. And he had said nothing to Westcott about pulling his punches. The fight leads up to the smashing climax of "Lilly Turner," a glamorous picture of tent show life with Miss Chatterton, the Carnival Queen.

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The bride is the only daughter of the late Mr. John Shaw, Colonial Secretary, Sierra Leone, and Acting Governor of Lagos, West Africa, and Mrs. A. de B. Shaw, of Thornton, Wray. Mr. Cathie is the youngest son of the late Commander Richard Archibald Cathie, Royal Navy, and Mrs. Cathie of 35, Lower Baginott Street, Dublin.
The bride entered the church on the arm of Mr. T. Smith, of the Kowloon Canton Railway, and was preceded by the bride by the Rev. J. K. Higgs, who officiated at the ceremony, and the choir boys. Mr. Rupert Baldwin played appropriate music on the organ. The bride wore a blue and white ensemble, blue shoes and gunmetal stockings and carried a sheaf of peach tines. The bridesmaids, Mrs. T. Smith, Matron of Honour, Mrs. A. E. Perry, also of the K.C.R., were in blue. After the ceremony, a reception was held at the St. Andrew's Church Hall and later, the happy couple left for their honeymoon which is being spent in Canton.

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Tientsin, Nov. 15.
Chi Hung-chang and Jen Yin-tse, the ex-Kuomintang generals under General Feng Yu-hsiang, who were recently wounded in a shooting affair at the National Grand Hotel, French Concession, have been extradited to the Chinese authorities by the Municipal Council of the French Concession.

The extradition was made at the request of the Chinese authorities on the ground that the two men were recently engaged in treacherous activities against the Chinese Government and might possibly be paid by the Manchukuo. In the light of these revelations, it is presumed that the shooting had patriotic motives.

Eleven other persons suspected of being connected with this case have been also extradited by the French authorities.—Central News Agency.

NEW NAVAL TREATY

AMERICANS WELCOME
BRITISH FORMULA

London, Nov. 15.
British and American naval delegates held a meeting this afternoon, lasting three and a half hours.
According to British circles, the conference was arranged to enable the Americans to pick up "loose ends" on points not directly related to Japan.
The Americans told Press representatives that they had been requested by British officials to maintain silence concerning the conference. The secrecy is assumed to mean that the discussion led to delicate issues.
The Americans gathered that the British representatives were divided—some seeking to placate Japan at any price and others standing with the Americans.
British circles categorically deny that the talks justified the American impression that the British representatives were divided among themselves.—Reuter.

A New Treaty.
London, Nov. 15.
A new naval treaty, replacing the Washington Treaty, is indicated as the probable outcome of the London naval talks. Certain questions were put to the American delegates by Britain's representatives yesterday, preparing the ground for such a treaty.

These questions have now been referred to Washington and the American delegates are awaiting instructions from President Roosevelt.

American circles are apparently optimistic as regards the prospects of the new course outlined by the British.

The new treaty would involve concessions by every country, but would retain the 5-5-3 ratio. It would give Japan equality in principle, limit capital ships to 30,000 tons, and give Great Britain seventy cruisers, on which she has insisted throughout.

Treaty Abrogation.
Yesterday's discussion between British and American delegates centred on the situation which might arise after Japan abrogates the Washington Treaty.

In the re-shuffling of categories, an attempt would be made to give each Power as much of its demands

SHANGHAI MURDER

ONE SUSPECT ARRESTED AT
RAILWAY STATION

Shanghai, Nov. 15.
At a station on the Shanghai-Hangchow Railway the Hangchow police have arrested a suspect believed to be connected with the murder of the well-known Shanghai newspaper proprietor, Mr. Sze Liang-zai and two other members of his party.

A revolver was found in the person of the suspect, who will be sent to Shanghai for police investigations.

The police are endeavouring to trace the car which conveyed the gangsters at the time of the murder and have found that the number on the car was false.

The remains of the victim arrived here from Hangchow yesterday in the company of many friends and his son. It has been confirmed that Mrs. Sze Liang-zai was not injured and the condition, of her wounded niece is much improved.

A public petition signed by bankers, newspapers and other institutions has been sent to the Executive Yuan demanding that pressure should be exerted on the Chekiang Police for the arrest of the gangsters responsible for this crime.

Two Suspects Arrested.
Shanghai, Nov. 16.

The Chinese press reports the arrest of two suspects, one at Wukangshien and the other at Yiwuhsien, in connection with the murder of Mr. Sze Liang-zai, the well-known Shanghai publisher and philanthropist.

One of the men allegedly in custody was carrying a pistol. Both will be taken to Hangchow for questioning.—Reuter.

as possible. This would entail more submarines for Japan, more big battleships and aircraft carriers for America, and more cruisers for Britain.

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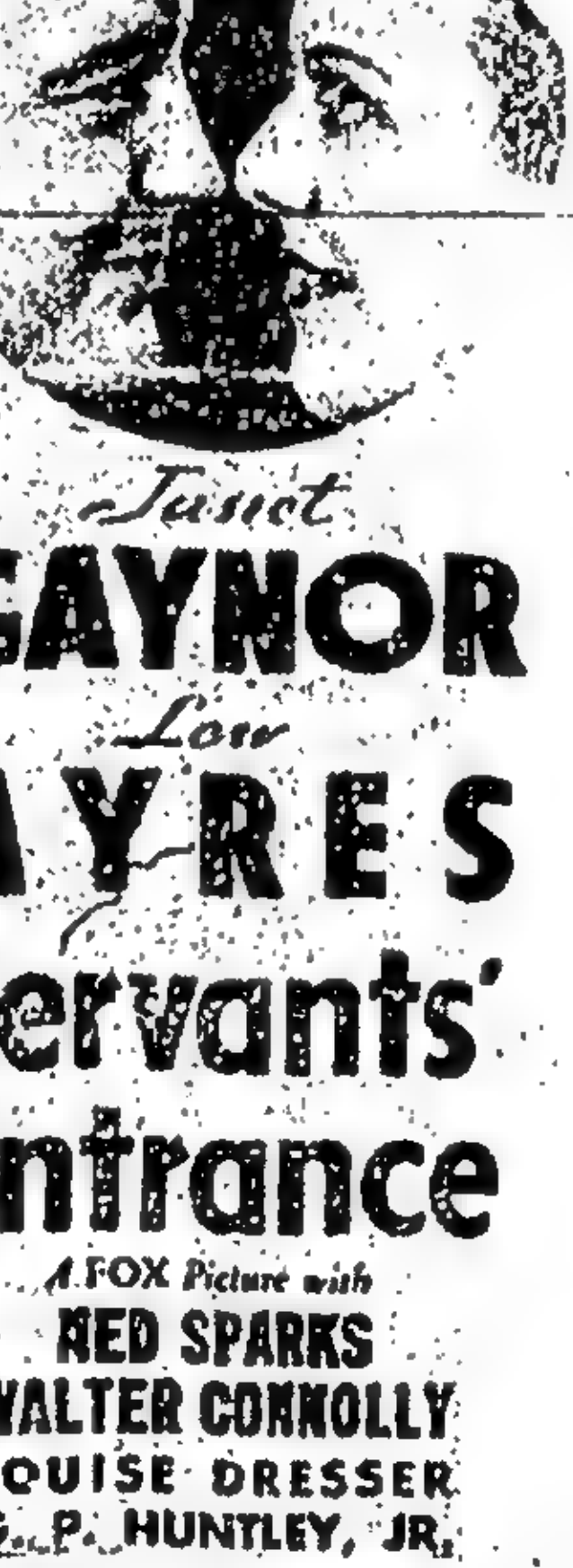
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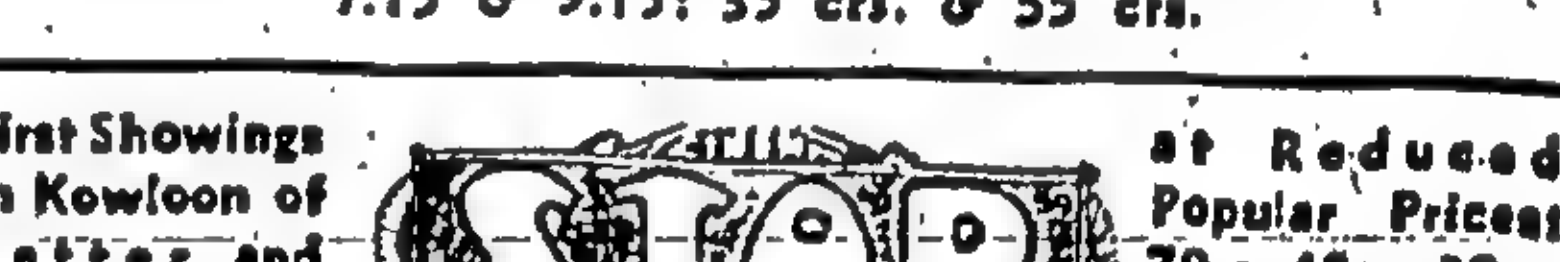
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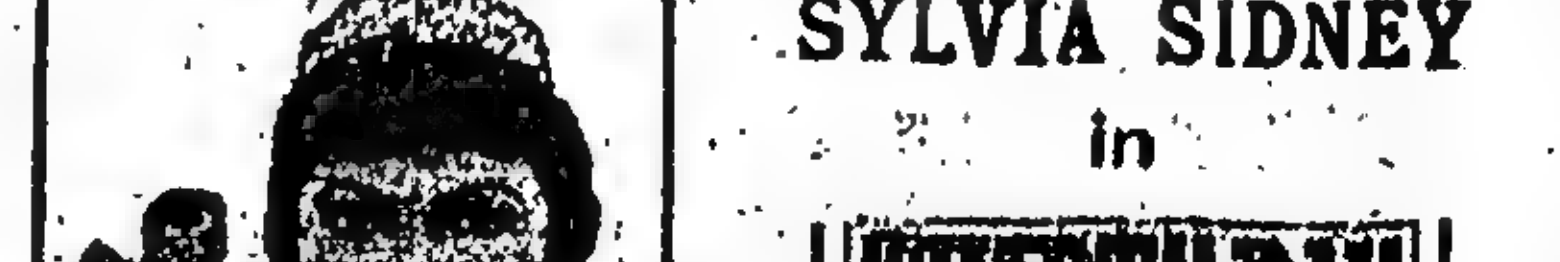
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QUO TAI-CHI AT FOREIGN OFFICE

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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London, Nov. 15. The recent wave of rumours, denied by Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Prime Minister of Great Britain, which suggested that there was a certain amount of Anglo-Japanese political and economic activity paralleling the naval conversations, has caused China some concern.

On Thursday the Chinese Minister to London, Mr. Quo Tai-chi, visited the Foreign Office and inquired as to the truth of the reports that Japan and Britain were engaged in some sort of political and economic conversations by which each hoped to benefit.

It is understood that the reports on which the Minister sought enlightenment ranged from the alleged Anglo-Japanese political conversations to the question of British loans to Japan.

In the former matter it had been voiced abroad that Japan was aiming at securing recognition of certain special interests in China and her special position in the Pacific. For this reason Japan is alleged to have offered a promise not to encroach upon British interests in China and the Pacific.

Mr. Quo Tai-chi also wanted to know whether Japan had approached Britain in the matter of future loans to Japan and Manchukuo. The Chinese Minister received categorical denials on all these points.—United Press.

SWEEPSTAKE RESTRICTION

LORD LONDONDERRY EXPLAINS POSITION

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, Nov. 15. The Home Secretary's statement that the new Lotteries Bill would not prevent individuals from sending ten shillings to Dublin for a ticket in the Irish Hospitals Sweepstake, and interpreted in some quarters as giving the Irish Trust full freedom to flood England with tickets, has now been given a different shade of meaning.

Lord Londonderry, in the House of Lords, during the debate to-day, declared that individual purchasers would not be exposed to criminal penalties but the Government intended to restrict the flow of money by measures which it was naturally inopportune to reveal.—Reuter Special.

B.A.T. WORKERS WALK OUT

CLAIM EMPLOYEE ASSAULTED

Shanghai, Nov. 16.

Some 3,600 Chinese workers of three local factories of the British and American Tobacco Company have struck as a protest against the alleged assault of some of them by white Russian inspectors in the factories.

A delegation of the strikers petitioned the Municipal authorities of Greater Shanghai yesterday for the redress of their grievances. The Municipal authorities have promised to investigate the case with a view to effecting an amicable settlement.—Central News.

BRITAIN MAY HOLD KEY TO NAVAL IMPASSE

POWERS CLOSER TO SOLUTION

OLD RATIO LIKELY TO REMAIN

WILL UNITED STATES BE SATISFIED?

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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London, Nov. 15. There is every hope now that the British plan for a gentlemen's agreement between the principal naval powers, which will obviate the necessity of altering the present 5-5-3 ratios, will be accepted by Japan. In that event it is very likely that the United States will also accept the British scheme, and a long step will have been taken towards an understanding at the 1935 Naval Conference.

An authoritative British source states that at the commencement of the naval conversations in London Japan communicated to Great Britain the desire to maintain the friendliest Anglo-Japanese relations, whereupon Great Britain requested the Tokyo Government to elucidate.

A later report states that the Japanese Government has instructed Mr. Matsuda, the Japanese Minister, and Admiral Yamamoto, the chief of the naval delegation, to ask for a further explanation "of the thought behind the British questions" as to the possibility of a naval compromise.

This move is interpreted to mean that Japan is willing to negotiate on compromise lines.

The British idea for naval agreement provides for a unilateral declaration to be made by each power as to the naval construction intended. Thereafter, a gentlemen's agreement would be reached wherein the 5-5-3 ratio would remain the basis of three-power naval strength. The ratio would not be mentioned, but would be merely understood.

THREE COURSES

Three courses are contemplated when Japan denounces the existing naval agreement, the Washington Treaty.

First, the treaty may be renewed without Japan.

Second, concessions may be agreed to by the three major powers.

And third, no treaty whatever may be undertaken. It is expected that the Japanese delegates will ask Great Britain next week how to define naval needs. This will lead to talks of a more technical nature which, if they are entered by the United States, will be a first step towards the Naval Conference scheduled for the summer of 1935, but which at one time seemed might never be reached.—United Press and Reuter Special.

BRITISH FEELER?

Washington, Nov. 16. The United States authorities are stated to be considering cautious British overtures for joint action in naval affairs if the tripartite discussions in London fail.

Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, boarded a train carrying President Roosevelt to Tennessee in order to discuss the proposals. Mr. Hull returns to Washington on November 17 when it is expected a reply will be sent to Britain.

The proposals, it is understood, are of the most tentative nature and were made to Mr. Norman Davis on Nov. 14.—Reuter.

EMBASSY ENTERTAINS

London, Nov. 16. British Ministers who have been taking part in naval conversations, were entertained at a luncheon to-day by the Japanese Ambassador and his colleagues at the Japanese Embassy.—British Wireless.

HONGKONG'S FIRST DIVORCE ACTION

Wife Wins Dissolution

INFIDELITY ALLEGED

CUSTODY OF CHILD SOUGHT

The first petition to come before the Hongkong Divorce Court was heard this morning by the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice A. D. A. MacGregor, at the Supreme Court, when Dorothea Florence Soares, an Englishwoman, sought and obtained an order for the dissolution of her marriage with Alfredo Maria de Lourdes Soares, barrister-at-law of Hongkong and Shanghai.

The ground for the petition was infidelity, petitioner alleging frequent adultery since 1929.

Respondent's father, Mr. A. M. L. Soares, appeared as intervener in respect of the petition for the custody of the child. He was in Court and was represented by Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., instructed by Mr. G. G. N. Tinson of Johnson, Stokes and Massey.

Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., instructed by Mr. Tinson, appeared for the respondent, and Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Mr. Lo, of Lo and Lo, represented petitioner.

CUSTODY OF CHILD

There is one child by the marriage, Inez Soares, born in November, 1925, and petitioner sought the custody of the child and such other relief as the Court might see fit to provide.

Mrs. Soares arrived in the Colony yesterday from Singapore where her address was given as 25, Capitol Flats, Mr. Soares' address is given as 142, Szechuen Road, Shanghai.

The petition was undefended and respondent was not in court during the hearing.

The petition set out that the marriage took place at the Registry Office, Cambridge, on May 25, 1929, and that the parties lived together at several addresses in England.

INFIDELITY ALLEGED

It was alleged against respondent that he frequently committed adultery between 1929 and 1930 with unknown women; that he committed adultery at an address (Continued on Page 7).

LONG NON-STOP HOPS PLANNED



Sir Charles Kingsford Smith who is shortly to attempt a non stop flight from the Pacific coast to Europe.

KINGSFORD SMITH'S ENDEAVOUR

LOS ANGELES TO EUROPE

U.S. FLIER TO CROSS PACIFIC

Los Angeles, Nov. 15.

There are two record-breaking flight attempts now under contemplation, the first announced by Air Commodore Sir Charles Kingsford Smith, the famous Australian pilot, the second by Monty Mason, a young American adventurer of wide experience.

Kingsford Smith, accompanied by Capt. Taylor as his roller pilot, radio operator and navigator, plans to fly from the Pacific coast across the United States and over the Atlantic to Europe, without a stop.

If the Australians accomplish this feat they will have set up a new long-distance record for sustained flight in a direct line. Presumably they would have to refuel somewhere over the Atlantic coast, for it is unlikely that they can carry sufficient petrol to carry them across a continent and an ocean.

Sir Charles says he will announce details of his plan within a few days.

CHALLENGE TO PACIFIC

Young Monty Mason says he will fly the Pacific ocean in 37 hours.

This, perhaps, is one of the most adventurous trips of any ever contemplated.

Mason will take off from Los Angeles on December 1, put his nose up for Tokyo and just keep travelling.

He plans to use a specially built machine whose cruising speed is 185 miles an hour. It is one of those long, low winged, and almost tailless monstrosities, powered with motor units of sufficient pull to take the plane into an almost vertical climb, it is believed.—United Press.

MANY KILLED IN TYPHOON

ENORMOUS DAMAGE IN PHILIPPINES

MANILA AGAIN ESCAPES

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Manila, Nov. 16. Six are known to have been killed and twenty-nine others are missing, 40,000 are homeless and property damage is estimated in the millions of pesos, as a result of the typhoon which recently swept the Philippine islands. The crop damage is particularly heavy.

The provinces of Samar, Leyte, Sorsogon, Albay, Marikinaque, Camarines Sur, and Camarines Norte were the hardest hit. The centre of the typhoon missed Manila, and is at present raging sixty miles off Pangasinan in the China Sea.

Shipping in Manila Bay has resumed.—United Press.

NEWSPAPER REGISTRATION

Nanking, Nov. 15.

Under orders from the Nanking Ministry of Communications, the Chinese Postal Administration has drawn up a regulation requiring foreign newspapers to register with the Chinese Ministry of Interior before they can be permitted to be circulated in China.

According to this regulation, the privilege of Chinese postal facilities may be accorded to any foreign newspaper as soon as it is registered with the Ministry of Interior. This regulation is expected to be promulgated soon.—Central News Agency.

Chan Fuk-chuen, unemployed, was sentenced to a total of two and a half months' hard labour, and Wong Sul, unemployed, to one and a half months' hard labour, by Mr. W. Schofield, this morning, on admitting charges of theft of two rolls of cloth the property of Leung King-widow, from No. 146 Main Street, Shaikwan, and a gold watch, property of Lam Kwai-ying, married woman, from No. 30 Main Street, Shaikwan. The first defendant admitted a previous conviction for theft.

WOMAN FILLS MORGENTHAU'S FORMER POST

MISS ROCHE JOINS U.S. TREASURY

GUARDS NATION'S PUBLIC HEALTH

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Nov. 15. President Roosevelt has announced the appointment of Miss Josephine Roche, of Colorado, as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury.

This office has not been filled since Mr. Henry Morgenthau was elevated to the Secretary's post, in succession to Mr. William Woodin.

Miss Roche will supervise principally the Treasury's public health service.

Miss Roche is President of the Rocky Mountain Fuel Company, and is one of the country's most noted business women.

She was formerly a candidate for the Governorship of Colorado.—Reuter and United Press.

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Novel Nicknames Of The Campus

SOME ARE NICE
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BUT ALWAYS APPROPRIATE

BY RONALD ALLAN.

Schooldays and nicknames seem to be inseparably associated. To me, a good deal of the charm of Kipling's "Stalky & Co." is due to the intimate atmosphere created by the use of nicknames which have the genuine schoolboyish ring about them.

An active mind is always ready to pounce upon anything topical if it will supply a nickname. In this connection I heard a boy, with a strong resemblance to the original, being addressed as "Gandhi." Years ago that boy would probably have been "Specky." An American periodical must accept the responsibility for the hundreds of "Buster" Browns.

On two occasions nicknames were dropped, during my schooldays, because in the first case the nickname was decided to be rather unappealing, and in the second case it was found to be not really appropriate. The nickname banned as being below the belt was "Inky." This had been given to the only coloured boy in the school, who was a general favourite, and who confessed that he was rather sensitive about it.

"JESSIE" RUNS AMOK.

The other case had its funny side. During a house, rugby match things had got pretty hot. A rather effeminate-looking, gentle-voiced fellow, known to his fellows as "Jessie," had come in for a good deal of scragging. Suddenly he ran amok, and before his temper cooled he had done considerable damage to the opposing pack, which contained several members of the school fifteen.

Physical peculiarities give the nickname maker useful material for his wit. These have been thousands of "Tubbies" and "Piggies," but I only came across one "Bones."

The shape of his legs earned for one unfortunate, "Calipers," and another, whose face was anything but symmetrical, was known to all and sundry as "Gumball Joe."

For many years a very tall and particularly thin physical instructor, who carried himself straight as the proverbial ramrod, lacked a nickname. Marconi obligingly invented wireless telegraphy, and the aerial masts provided the inspiration. Thereafter the instructor was "Wireless."

The nickname "Buzz" was given to another master who emphasised, to an exaggerated extent, his pronunciation of the sibilant letters.

SIR HENRY HAIRPINS.

One boy who had fair hair, blue eyes, and the innocent face of a cherub answered quite happily to "Goo-goo."

Shortly after the war a new boy entered the room of another class and asked the master in charge if he would be kind enough to lend "Sir Henry" his duster. Being unaware of having any titled colleagues, the master asked his almost helpless class to enlighten him. To his amusement, and to the embarrassment of the messenger, he discovered that an exceptionally tall ex-officer, who had brought back to school all his military smartness of dress and discipline, had been dubbed, "Sir Henry Hairpins."

A lady teacher, whose surname

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SLIMMING

ALTHOUGH there is not the same craze for slimmness now as there was a few years ago, no woman cares to be stout, and if she feels she is putting on weight, then she is anxious to take steps to get rid of her superfluous fat.

No woman who is not in the best of health should go in for slimmness. It is better to be rather fat and in good health and spirits than thin and "nervy" and delicate. Very strict dieting should be adopted only under medical advice.

Much, however, can be done by means of exercise and wise dieting to make oneself slim. Diet is very important. Sufficient nourishing food should be taken to keep one self healthy, but it is unwise to eat more than is necessary. To be thin and yet healthy, one must have a good digestion.

One of the best aids to a good digestion is complete mastication of food. In order to masticate the food properly, choose food that requires a lot of chewing and gives the teeth plenty of work. Eat crusts and toasted bread and rusks, rather than soft bread; oatcake instead of porridge, and biscuits instead of cake. Avoid starchy and sugary food even more than fats.

Meat should be taken only once a day, but fish, especially steamed, boiled and baked fish, may be taken, and poultry. Vegetables are excellent, and eat as many raw vegetables as you can—lettuce, tomatoes, finely chopped onions in salads, grated carrots, and so on. Salads can be eaten freely, but use a dressing made with olive oil and lemon juice instead of vinegar. Fresh fruit is good, too, especially oranges and apples. Drink as much water as you can, or fruit drinks made with fresh fruit juices, between meals, not with food. Avoid cocoa, chocolate and alcohol. Get as much outdoor exercise as possible, such as walking and playing tennis and golf, but, in addition, do a few physical exercises regularly every morning as soon as you get up. It is better to do only two exercises regularly every day than neglect them altogether for a week or more, and then devote half-an-hour to doing violent exercises.

was Shepherd, was known only as "Bo-Peep."

Play upon other surnames resulted in "Cunningham" becoming "Slybacon," and "Farquhar" being corrupted to "Ferguoth."

To the delight of a first form class receiving their first lesson in German script from a new master they discovered that his name was Penman. Until he left the master was "Jim the Penman."

YOUTH'S HORRIBLE CRIME

SLEW EMPLOYER WITH AXE

TOOK GIRL TO CINEMA

AFTER having suddenly withdrawn his plea of "Not Guilty" and pleaded "Guilty" to the murder of Dudley Hoard, manager of the Palace Cinema, Bow, E., John Frederick Stockwell, 19, an attendant at the cinema, was sentenced to death at Old Bailey.

"I am deeply sorry for this tragedy," said Stockwell when the jury had formally found him guilty.

Mr. Justice Goddard, passing sentence, said: "If any ray of light is to be found in this dark and tragic story, it is that by your confession, and the course you are now taking, you are showing some remorse for a crime as terrible as any recorded even in the grim annals of this court."

When the trial began Stockwell's plea was one of "Not guilty," and Mr. G. B. McClure opened the case for the prosecution.

On the morning of August 7, he said, Hoard was found at the cinema, where he lived with his wife, unconscious. Terrible injuries had been inflicted on his head with some weapon like an axe.

About £89 was found missing from the safe. Stockwell was arrested at Yarmouth, and, in a statement to the police, told how he went to the cinema with an axe beneath his coat.

"I went to the flat and rang the bell," went on the statement, "and Mr. Hoard came to the door. I asked him if I might look for a ten-shilling note, and he said, 'Certainly.'"

STRUCK FROM BEHIND.

"He went to close the door, and I pulled it open and tried to hit him with the axe. He ran into the room, and I followed him and hit him on the head with the axe from behind."

"He fell, and I hit him several times with the axe. His wife then came out of the bedroom, and I hit her on the head with the axe."

Stockwell then went on to describe how he took the keys from the top of the cupboard, opened the safe, and took the money. He hid the axe behind the stage and went home. He afterwards threw the keys into the canal and met his girl and they went to the pictures.

Mr. Frederick Levy (defending) rose and said that Stockwell desired to withdraw the plea of "Not Guilty" and to plead "Guilty."

"I know," said Mr. Levy, "that a heavy responsibility rests on my shoulders in this matter, but, having examined the case from every aspect, the solicitor and I feel that it would be a lamentable farce to go through a case of this nature to its bitter end with an inevitable result."

"Have you received direct instructions from your client?" asked the judge.

"Yes, in writing," was the reply.

MERCY RECOMMENDATION.

"You understand what you are doing?" the judge asked Stockwell.

"Yes," he answered.

Mr. Levy then said that Stockwell's father was killed in action when the boy was a year old. His mother died when he was 11. It was a case of unprotected childhood.

After a few moments' deliberation, the foreman of the jury announced that they found Stockwell guilty, and strongly recommended him to mercy "taking into consideration the parental guidance which he never received."

Stockwell stood rigidly at attention between two warders while sentence was passed, and after the chaplain's "Amen" had echoed in the court he turned and walked firmly from the dock down the steps to the cells below.

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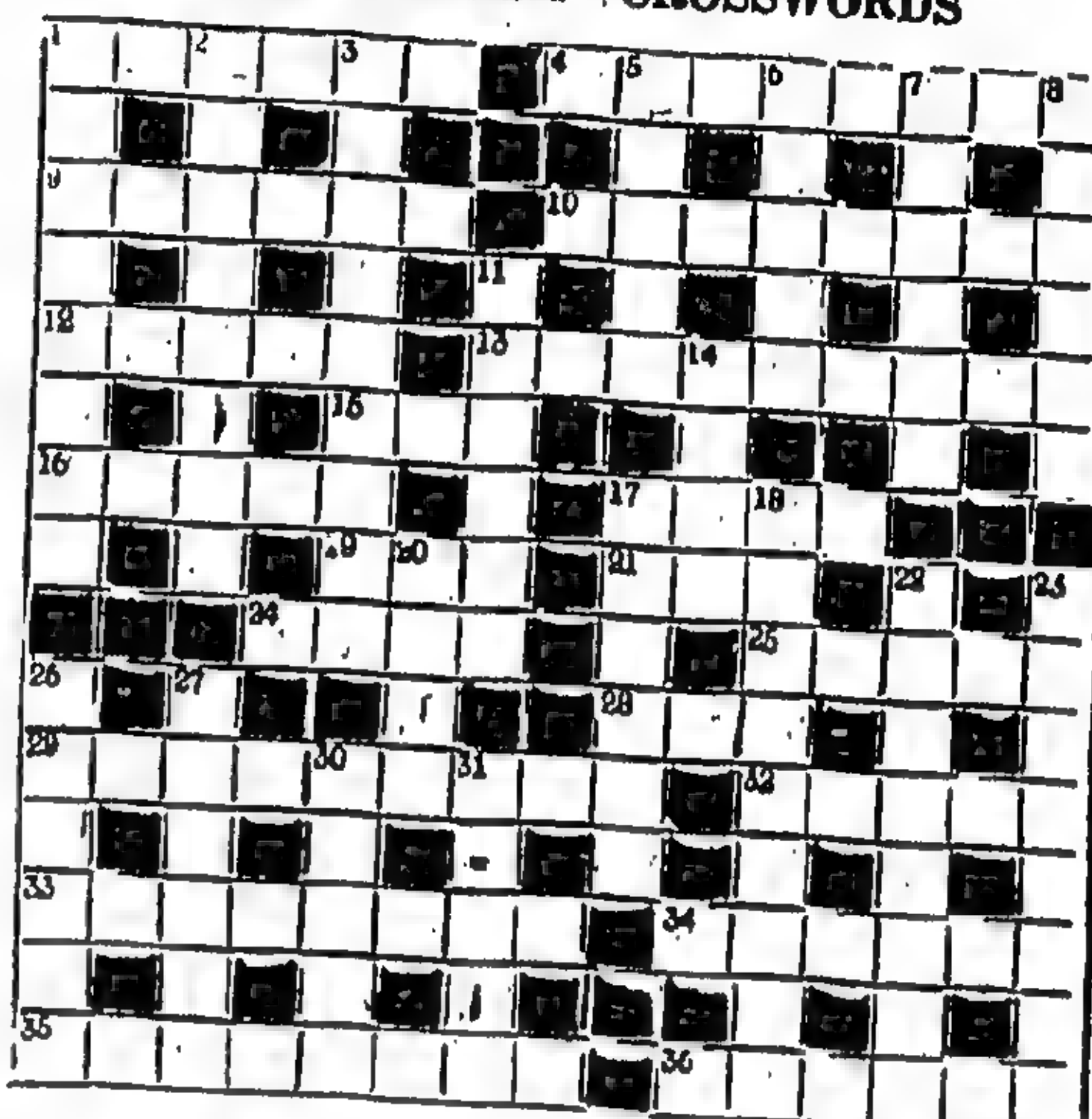
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- 15 The light part of 12 across.
- 16 Altogether made of lead but has a fruity sound.
- 17 A self-contained part of an ammunition column.
- 19 These three letters make only half one letter.
- 21 Heavens God useful to cook.
- 24 German town that upset a Scottish lass.
- 25 Kind of china.
- 28 It would take 600 to make this little creature skilful.
- 29 This may mean a majority for a civilian.
- 32 Men in Jamaica roll a tin ferrule round (hidden).
- 33 This kind of action is usually upsetting.
- 34 All that lies before you now.
- 35 Scented and with money for nothing in it.
- 36 An axe-wielder of some years ago.

Down

- 1 Part of a church.
- 2 A drug, half a great prelate in history.
- 3 Abominable.
- 5 In this kind of game there are no partners.

- 6 Material that starts to make a statement about 34 across.
- 7 Kind of fowl.
- 8 Tricks.
- 11 It generally takes 32 across action to upset these.
- 14 A girl of little value in the East.
- 17 Support.
- 18 Set on foot some organisation.
- 20 A branch of one of the Commandments.
- 22 A girl made the discovery apparently to muddle.
- 23 Brave advice to the timid.
- 26 Colloquially the smallest possible coin.
- 27 Send me (anagram).
- 30 This catches fish for the market.
- 31 A constellation.

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MINISTER PELTED

EGG AND TOMATO PRELUDE

BUT MR. ELLIOT SINGS HIS PIECE

Mr. Walter Elliot, Minister of Agriculture, had a wild reception at Glasgow University Students' Union recently when he arrived to address the Tory Club.

As he walked on to the platform, accompanied by Mrs. Elliot, eggs and tomatoes were hurled at him. Both he and his wife were hit.

The Minister was visiting the club to speak on behalf of Sir Iain Colquhoun, the non-political candidate in the Rectorial election, who is supported by the Tory Club. The other candidates are Sir Stafford Crisp (Socialist), M. Paderewski (Distributist) and Mr. Cunningham Graham (Scottish Nationalist).

Immediately Mr. Elliot arrived there was a barrage of eggs and tomatoes from all parts of the hall. Student leaders held up their hands appealing for order, but in vain.

A tomato hit Mr. Elliot on the head and burst over his ear. Next minute the contents of an egg, which had crashed against the curtain above, fell on him. A student in the gallery took aim with a water-pistol and emptied its contents over the Minister's clothing.

Mrs. Elliot had been struck by a tomato which, however, did not burst. A woman student led her off the stage.

A BALLAD OF MILK.

Then an undergraduate ran to the electric controls and let down the curtain. Eggs and tomatoes were smashed all over it. Next moment Mr. Elliot came out in front of the curtain and faced the audience amid considerable uproar.

Ultimately quiet was restored, but when Mr. Elliot rose to speak he was greeted with a chorus of animal noises in which the sounds of cows and pigs predominated. The students also sang a ballad. "We have had no milk to-day."

Addressing the students, Mr. Elliot said: "There are some very bad shots in this audience. I don't think there will be any mistake, however, when the rectorial election takes place, because I am here to say that we of the Tory Club are going to put our whole weight behind Sir Iain Colquhoun."

He continued: "The problems of the land, which are fundamental to-day, are being tackled on lines laid



Mrs. C. W. A. Scott, wife of the famous airman, with her husband's message from Melbourne telling of his safe arrival and success in the Air Race.

14,000 SPANISH SMUGGLERS

According to *El Debate*, Spain loses £5,000,000 annually in duties on smuggled goods.

The customs authorities estimate that 14,000 people in Spain take some part in smuggling activities, and that of these 2,000 are women. Tobacco is the chief article of contraband, and some 1,200 tons are introduced annually in clandestine fashion according to the estimates of experts.

down by the National Government, and there is no other Government or party which has constructive proposals to put forward. The difficulties of these times are entirely ignored, especially by the Scottish Nationalists, who are doing nothing to tackle the real difficulties in agriculture.

"The Socialists are on the run in every country in Europe, continued Mr. Elliot, "because they have no guts. The Socialists fly or ten years ago were the hope of the world. To-day they are the despair of the world, and in Germany the Socialists have brought slavery upon their own people."

At the close of his address Mr. Elliot was given a warm send-off by 2,000 students. Interviewed afterwards he said, "It is a pity some of the students forgot that there were ladies present."

SINS OF MODERN CIVILISATION

By OLIVER BALDWIN

Each man has a different conception of what is meant by Civilisation, but for my purpose I will take it to mean the economic and cultural state of things prevailing at the moment in our own country.

With this state of things there are undoubtedly many who are entirely content, and who look upon any attack on this civilisation as an affront to their personal dignity, as if they alone were responsible for it all, under the direct supervision of Unchangeable Nature or some private God of their own.

That civilisation has brought untold benefits to mankind no one will deny; but that man has often misused them or even destroyed them is something that must not be forgotten if we are to be honest with our own conception of what is best for the majority in this world of ours.

We have praised ourselves for having given the light of our civilisation to what are called dark continents and backward races. We have imposed by force our laws and customs on people entirely different from us in habit and heredity, and where it has not worked successfully we have invariably blamed the receivers.

Such is our conceit in the advantages of our way of doing things over the way of others.

bling of our present economic system we and ourselves arising into a denial of commercial morality by the acceptance of commissions, bonuses, and promises of future favours which, but a few years back, would have been looked upon as graft.

In the world of armament manufacturers, good business for shareholders has come to mean war and murder for some fellow-creature in a distant country; and art and beauty is gradually losing its place in the list of those things that go to make up a civilisation.

A country's trade can be interfered with and ruined by those that buy and sell a country's money for their own personal gain; financial crises and the overthrow of governments can be accomplished by the same means.

The civilisation that we boast of has now become a purely material state, uncontrolled, unmoral, and vicious in its effect on other people. And it is not difficult to see why this has become so. As commerce has grown, so has the breach widened between morality and materialism.

Christianity, which is the accepted ethical foundation of our civilisation, preaches—or should preach if it followed its Teacher's precepts—co-operation and brotherly love; Industrial Capitalism



This is a test of patience. Pussy versus rat versus cameraman. The pussy won.

Internationally, we have saddled our civilisation with the right of conquest of Might. Imperially we have bound up Commerce with the power of armed force, and justified it by the commendation of an organised Church.

Nationally, we are satisfied with our civilisation, when a material Budget is balanced, and have definitely based our values on the more material pounds, shillings, and pence.

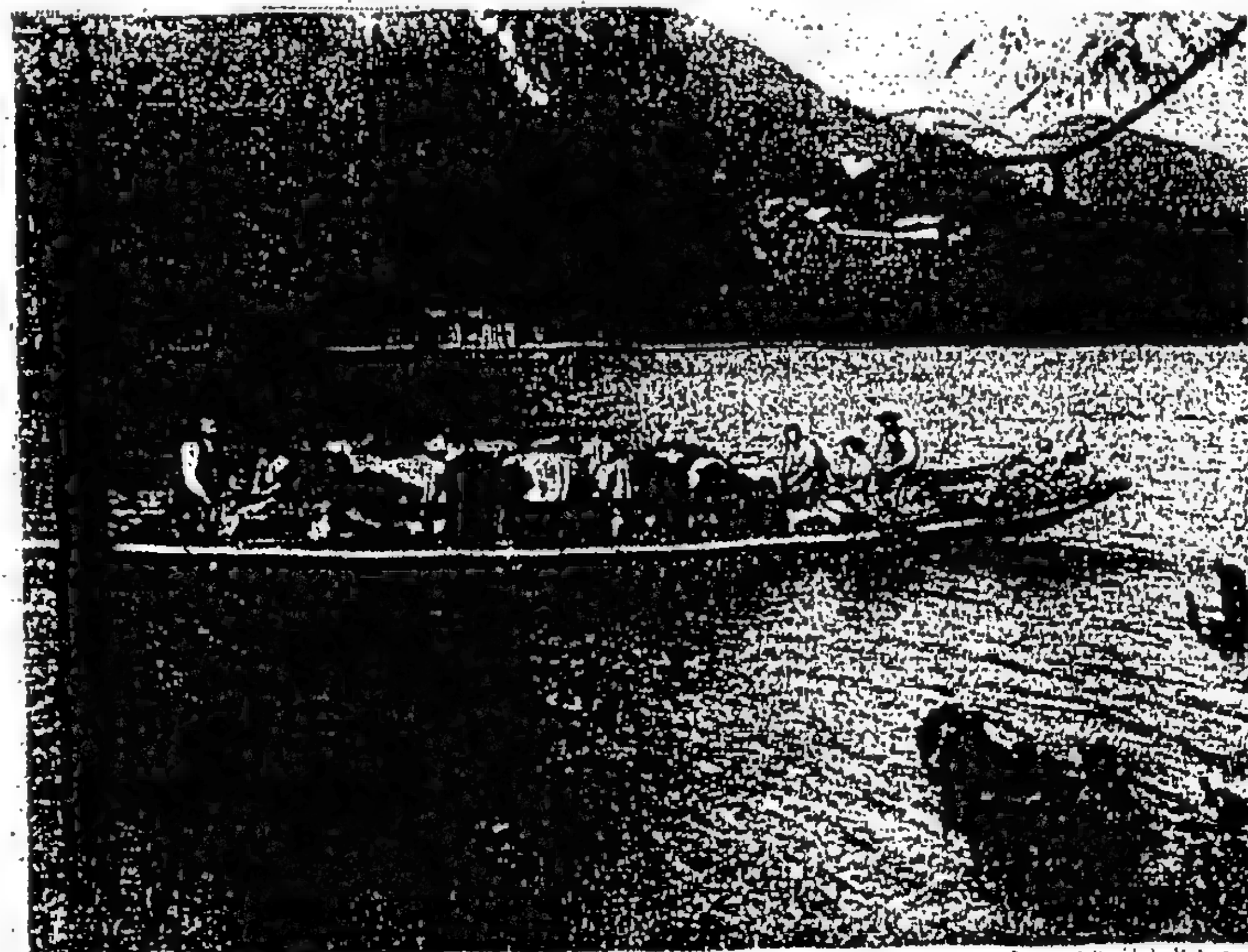
COMMERCIAL GRAFT. As signs of the progress of this civilisation we point to the big Trust, and close our eyes to the elimination of the small trader.

We differentiate between "square dealing" and "good business," and, unhappily, in the crum-

prenches the exact opposite, which is competition and rivalry.

Both of these fundamentals are taught the child from the first days of his schooling, by word of mouth and by example, with the natural result that the grown man falls between two stools, and once he has become tired of sitting on the floor, will take the most comfortable seat enables him to see the material advantages that could be acquired by the denial of Christian principle and the worship of Mammon.

Hypocrisy thereupon enters his make-up, for, while still giving lip-service to the Christian principles of his youth, his material life is his constant contradiction; and



This pleasant Bavarian house is somewhat historic in that it represents a custom followed for centuries. Cattle which graze in the Salzbury Alps in summer is brought to the valleys of the Konigsal River for winter pasturage and is fed with the accompaniment of boathman's songs.

MADRID'S OLD BULL RING

Madrid's old bull ring, which has done service since 1874, has seen its last fight before being pulled down to make way for a motor-bus station.

The old ring is replaced by a huge new ring to seat 20,000, which is situated on the outskirts of the town in the dreary suburb of Ventas, and far too near to Madrid's large municipal cemetery for the liking of the superstitious bull-fighters.

when hypocrisy comes in at the window, honesty goes out at the door.

Our civilisation has also had its effect on the domestic side of life. The congestion in the towns produced by the convention and the herd instinct, and this, in its turn, produces reactions that fly to the opposite extreme.

PUZZLING LAWS.

In order to keep the balance out laws then proceed to formulate criminal acts in support of convention with most surprising results, such as in the question of divorce, wherein a man, in order to be free, is forced to commit what the law calls a crime.

Perhaps it is in a perusal of our laws that future generations will find it most difficult to understand our civilisation.

They will be interested to see how we punish a tradesman for giving his customers short weight in goods, and praise the man who, by buying and selling currency, gives us short weight in money. How we imprison a boy for stealing apples from an orchard, and say nothing to the company promoter who makes away with the money of his investors in legitimate trade. How we forbid the buying of a sweepstake ticket, and encourage the gambling on the Stock Exchange. How we condemn the murderer for killing by killing him in his turn.

In the appendages to civilisation—those little frills and fancies that have become tacked on to it—we find some interesting things. There is the speed of living, the over-crowding of the towns at the expense of the countryside, the sedentary life, the facile and rapid means of communication; and we find they have produced an amazing number of nervous complexes—a deterioration in the physical health of the people; and an artificiality of speech, costume, and custom that result in a form of intolerable snobbery and an utter disregard for thought and contemplation.

WORKING FOR LEISURE.

It is when we think what could be done with the resources of civilisation that we are apt to despair, for there is so much that is good and so much more that could be bettered. It is not enough to take pride in these resources if we do not see that they are put to the best use; nor need we boast of our productivity if we cannot distribute it.

To glory in possession or the acquisition of power is nothing to the satisfaction received from the knowledge that the people of your country have food, clothing, and shelter, and time for real leisure.

Our present civilisation has taken work for profit as its ideal. How much better to take work for leisure as its aim.

Civilisation must also alter its basis. The ethical basis must take the place of the material one. Peace and economic liberty are fundamentals for happiness, and neither can be the lot of our people if the Material is constantly lauded above the Spiritual, the Body above the Mind, and the Brain above the Soul.

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KNIFE

On his return home shortly before 1 o'clock this morning, Ma Tzu-nam, Manager of the Empress Hotel, was attacked on the stairs leading to his apartment at 40 High Street, West Point. Three men are alleged to have been concerned in this affair, and they are all in police custody.

Hobbery is said to have been the motive, but police investigators are endeavouring to discover if the incident has any connection with previous relations between the parties, as it is said that the alleged assailants are known to the victim.

The story related by Ma Tzu-nam states that an attempt was made to reach for a sum of \$120 which he had at the time in a pocket; but at the very start he shouted for assistance, and continued to shout after he was stabbed in the wrist. The weapon, a table knife, was wielded by a man in European clothes who appears to be the leader of the group allegedly lying in wait in the staircase.

Whilst blown by members of his family in the apartment above, completed the disfigurement of the assailants. They rushed down the staircase, but in the street, two were intercepted by plain-clothes constables.

A third man was subsequently found by the police in his home at Queen's Road West.

U.S. COMMODITY
PRICESLATEST CABLED
QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday.

	Nov. 14	Nov. 15
New York Cotton		
December	12.24	12.26-12.28
January	12.31	12.33-12.35
March	12.36	12.39-12.41
May	12.47	12.50-12.52
July	12.55	12.58-12.60
October (1935)	12.65	12.68-12.70
Spot	12.60	12.62
New York Rubber		
December	12.80	13.05-13.08
January	12.90	13.16-13.19
March	13.11	13.38-13.41
May	13.28	13.55-13.58
July	13.50	13.77-13.80
September	13.71	13.98-14.01
Total sales: 377 lots		
Chicago Wheat		
December	99 1/2	101 1/2-101
May	99 1/2	100 1/2-100
July	97 1/2	98 1/2-98
Wednesday's close		17,383,000 bushels
Chicago Corn		
December	81	82 1/2-82 3/4
May	82 1/2	83 1/2-84
July	83 1/2	84 1/2-85
Total sales: 10,841,000 bushels		
Winnipeg Wheat		
December	78	79-79 1/2
May	82 1/2	83 1/2-84
July	83 1/2	84 1/2-85
New York Sugar		
December	1.84	1.83-1.85
March	1.74	1.73-1.74
May	1.75	1.76-1.77
July	1.80	1.80-1.80
Total sales: 7,000 tons		
New York Silk		
December	1.23	1.21 1/2-1.21 1/4
March	1.21 1/2	1.22 1/2-1.23
May	1.24	1.24-1.24
Total sales: 109 lots		
Montreal Silver		
December	61.45	61.75-61.76
March	65.00	65.00-65.00
May	66.10	66.40-66.40
July	66.70	66.85-66.85

NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGEBETTER MARKET
YESTERDAY

The following reports on the New York stock market have been received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz: The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's markets:—The trend of stocks has been upward and the market the most active since June, apparently due to a favourable reaction to the President's speech yesterday plus bullish business news. Even utilities improved. Silver ruled irregular and the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. has been asked, due to investigation. Bonds were firm. Stocks on the Curb Exchange showed an upward tendency due to substantial speculative buying. The tendency of Wheat was upward, due to the strength of Stocks, and unfavourable domestic and foreign crop reports.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: The stock market was more buoyant and a larger volume of business was done. Washington begins discussions in connection with relief legislation. President Roosevelt emphasizes the need for a soundly built social reform programme. The International Nickel Co.'s third quarter earnings totalled 24 cents per share against 28 cents per share last year. The Columbia Gas Co.'s earnings for the twelve months ended September 30, totalled 39 cents per share against 63 cents per share during the corresponding period of last year. The Detroit Edison Co.'s earnings for the twelve months ended October 31 totalled \$6,900,000 against \$6,600,000 last year. Commercial Bank loans were off \$3,000,000 during the past three weeks. The United States Gypsum Co. has declared an extra dividend of 25 cents per share. The Electric output was up 3 and six-tenths per cent for the week ending November 10. Pittsburgh Steel Scrap advanced 26 cents per ton. The Federal Communication Commission has ordered the investigation of the financial structure of The American Telephone Co. September automobile tyre shipments were off 9 1/2%. October anthracite shipments were off 35%. Newspaper production in the United States and Canada was up 15 1/2% in October. Silk and rayon shipments were up 29%. The comparisons are made with a year ago. Business done: 1,510,000.

New York and Chicago commodity reports received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz:—Cotton: Considering the uncertainty of crop control and heavy December selling, the market was well supported. Prices advanced on Balkan rumours and the scarcity of contracts. We think we require further proof of permanence in more general buying. The possibility of importation continues in the background of the small trade.

Rubber: The immediate trend is uncertain and nervous but the Trade bought to-day. October consumption totalled 31,317 tons.

Sugar: Interest has centred on December. The market was featureless otherwise.

Dow Jones Average:—

	Nov. 14	Nov. 15
20 Industrials	99.12	99.72
20 RAIL	36.27	36.36
20 UTILITIES	18.63	18.56
40 BONDS	93.59	93.68
11 COMMODITY INDEX	58.73	59.29
17 LEADING STOCKS		
Amor. Can.	104 1/2	104 1/2
Amor. Steel & Ref.	109 1/2	109 1/2
Amor. Tel. & Tel.	25 1/2	25 1/2
Auburn	52 1/2	52 1/2
J.I. Case	97 1/2	97 1/2
Du Pont	82 1/2	82 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share	30 1/2	30 1/2
General Motors	9	9
Int. Tel. & Tel.	20 1/2	20 1/2
McIntyre	29 1/2	29 1/2
Montgomery Ward	21 1/2	21 1/2
Nat. Distillers	21 1/2	21 1/2
N.Y. Central	14 1/2	14 1/2
Seacord Vacuum	105 1/2	105 1/2
Union Pacific	36 1/2	36 1/2
U.S. Steel	34 1/2	34 1/2
West E. & M.	34 1/2	34 1/2

Total sales:—41 contracts—New York Metals—Copper, March 6.11—Tin, March 61.05



Janet Gaynor and Law Ayres in "Servants' Entrance," which comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday.

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

11.55 a.m. Talk: "A Tour through Time and Space," Mr. James Jeans, C.B.E.
12.00 p.m. The Midland Musical Hobbies in a Light Musical Entertainment. Devoted and arranged by Richard Spencer and Garnet Ball, June, with Richard Spencer, Jack Daniels, George Garret, Taylor Frame, and the three Blue Boys.
12.30 a.m. The News.
12.45 a.m. An Organ Recital by J. Dykes Howell, relayed from the City Hall, Newcastle-on-Tyne.
1.15 a.m. Dance Music.
1.45 a.m. Close down.

TRANSMISSION 4

To-night's broadcast from Transmision 4 through GSB and GSB.
2 a.m. Big Ben, The News.
2.15 a.m. Synchroton.
2.30 a.m. The Kentucky Minstrels.
Greenwich Time Signal at 2 a.m.
3.00 a.m. The Wireless Military Band.
Conductor, H. Walton O'Donnell.
3.15 a.m. West Country Gazette. The second issue of a somewhat erratic periodical. Presented by Francis Wadley. The contents will include:—Time Notes, Fiction, Country notes, by a U. Street Entertainment Page, and "Off the Line," a topical programme.
Greenwich Time Signal at 3 a.m.
3.15 a.m. "Variation in the Winds," A Musical Comedy.
3.30 a.m. The B.B.C. Orchestra (Section C), conducted by Joseph Lewis, John Ward (Violoncello), John Noddy (Violoncello), Under the Conductor, Hansel Heath (from today, London Day by Day) (A. C. Mackintosh).

"TELEGRAPH" ART
SUPPLEMENTTo-morrow's Pictorial
Features

A wide variety of interests will be covered by the illustrations appearing in to-morrow's issue of the Telegraph Pictorial Supplement.

There will be some excellent pictures of the "Alice in Wonderland" Fete, whilst Armistice Day events will also be illustrated. Amongst the weddings of which groups will be given are those of Mr. Anthony Ricketts and Miss Jocelyn Christmas, Mr. Peter Sin and Miss Wong Lai-ying, and Mr. Thomas J. Chan and Miss Cecily Fok. There will also be a group of the Hongkong Naval Volunteer Force, and a photograph taken at the St. Stephen's College prize day.

TRANSMISSION 5

This morning's broadcast from Transmision 5 through GSB and GSB:
7 a.m. Big Ben. Dance Music.
7.15 a.m. Talk: "Under Big Ben," Mr. Howard Marshall.
7.30 a.m. Dance Music.
Greenwich Time Signal at 8 a.m.
8 a.m. Variety. Produced by William Barclay.
8.15 a.m. The News.
9 a.m. Close down.
9.15 a.m. Recorded Programme.

21 YEARS AGO

Extracts From the
"Telegraph" Files

The following extracts are from the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended November 15, 1913.

The rate of dollar on demand was 1s. 11 1/2d.

Mr. Leslie Stedman was appointed a qualified auditor under the Hongkong Companies Ordinance.

The Indo-China steamer Ting-sang, which went ashore in Haitian Straits, became a total loss.

The wedding took place at St. John's Cathedral of Mr. P. D. Wilson and Miss Hilda Gibbon, and of Mr. Lionel Lammer and Miss Florence A. O'Dell.

EXCHANGE RATES

	Nov. 14	Nov. 15
Paris	75.27/32	75 1/2
Geneva	16.39	16.37 1/2
Berlin	12.43	12.42 1/2
Helsingfors	226 1/2	226 1/2
Oslo	19.00 1/2	19.00 1/2
Athens	523	523
Milan	58 1/2	58 1/2
Buenos Aires	30 1/2	30 1/2
Shanghai	1/4.3/16	1/4 1/4
New York	4.99 1/2	4.99 1/2
Amsterdam	7.39 1/2	7.39
Vienna	27	27
Peking	119 1/2	119 1/2
Bucharest	497	497
Madrid	36.19/32	36 1/2
Hongkong	1/8	1/8 1/16
Brussels	21.44	21.39 1/2
Stockholm	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Copenhagen	22.40	22.40
Lisbon	110 1/4	110 1/4
Bombay	1/6.1/16	1/6.1/16
Yokohama	1/2	1/2 1/32
Rio	4 1/2	4 1/2
Montevideo	39	39.1/16
Belgrade	219	220
Monteral	4.86 1/2	4.86 1/2
Silver (Spot)	24 1/2	24 1/2
Silver (forward)	24 1/2	24 1/2
War Loan	108	108 1/2

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—Shun-fong, Sapa, President McKinley, Chungshing, Kunquing, Toyooka Maru, Ethel Radcliffe, Taming, Adrastus, Chitral, Noko Maru, Canton Maru, Ben Nevis, Tathylus, Deli Maru, Haddis, City of Baghdad, Atsuta Maru, Hangsang, Gino Maru.

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SHEWAN.—On 16th November, 1934,
at the War Memorial Hospital, to
Allison, wife of I. W. Shewan, a
daughter.

The
Hongkong Telegraph.

FRIDAY, NOV. 16, 1934.

AIR MAIL RATES

At the moment, Hongkong has only an indirect interest in the scheme which is being inaugurated as from next month in which there will be a reduction of air mail rates on Empire routes. The announcement now made is only the first instalment of plans which are calculated to lead to a marked advance in Imperial co-operation. Varying postage charges from the Mother Country to destinations served by Imperial Airways are now to be abolished and flat rates substituted therefor. These charges will be sixpence per half-ounce for letters to destinations where the present charge is equal to or in excess of that amount, and threepence per half-ounce where they are at present lower than sixpence. Nothing is said in the official announcement regarding any revision of charges from overseas points to England, but inasmuch as uniformity is being attained in the other direction, it seems more than likely that efforts will be made to apply the principle as between Imperial possessions generally. Malaya will come into the new scheme, now that Singapore is within the Empire chain, but at present Hongkong is, of course, unaffected. The time should not, however, be far distant when this Colony will also enjoy the privilege of direct air mail contact with England. Difficulties have been encountered in establishing the link with Singapore, but we have it on the authority of Sir Philip Sassoon, Under-Secretary for Air, who recently conferred with officials of Imperial Airways in Singapore, that these are gradually being overcome. The main issue to be adjusted is the securing of flying rights over Chinese territory, but, as we have previously pointed out, even if the negotiations towards this end fail, it will none the less be possible to institute a service giving us contact with the Straits Settlements. The Home Government, as well as the local authorities, fully realise the importance of establishing the link. When this becomes a reality, we may look for a greatly improved and more regular air mail service to Europe, obviating the irritating delays at present experienced. It is reasonable to hope, also, that air mail charges will be placed on a much more satisfactory basis. At the present time, there is a marked disparity, to the disadvantage of Hongkong, in the rates as between this Colony and England and between England and Hongkong. There may be good grounds for this circumstance, although they have never been satisfactorily explained. Suffice it to say that if the existing charges were lower, far greater use would be made of the facilities than is at present the case. Even under existing conditions, this question of rates is well worthy of the serious attention of the authorities; when the link with Singapore is forged, the matter will become even more urgent.

NOTES OF THE DAY

MAN OF PEACE

The report that Mr. De Valera might shortly declare the Irish Free State a Republic and that Germany would be the first to recognise such a change, and take advantage of it in such a way as might prove threatening to the peace of mind of Englishmen, is somewhat discouraging at a time when the Powers are straining every nerve, as Mr. Ramsay MacDonald puts it, in an effort to maintain the peace of the world. If Mr. De Valera enters into an alliance with a foreign state which might have the effect of disturbing England's feeling of security, he would have serious trouble on his hands. It seems incredible that Mr. De Valera should tempt disaster, as yesterday's reports indicate that he has done; and if the rumours of an Irish-German political alliance are substantiated, the Chief Executive of the Free State will be called upon to declare himself. It has always been in Mr. De Valera's favour that he was a man of peace. There will be turmoil in Ireland if he takes a wrong turning.

SHOCKS IN EUROPE

Twice within three months Europe has been brought to the verge of war. But whereas in 1914 an assassin's bullet, criminally trying to prove that the gun was mightier than the pen, signed the death-warrant of fourteen millions, twenty years after the gravest dangers appear to have been averted. The most striking contrast between the situation in 1914 and in 1934 is surely the reaction of the general public to the political murders. To the majority, the assassination of the Archduke Franz Ferdinand at Sarajevo was at first a distant event, which would interfere little within their everyday lives. When Dr. Dollfuss of Austria met his violent death in July, the humblest citizen anxiously watched for movements of Italian, Yugo-Slav and German forces on the Austrian frontier. Probably it was the general realisation of the dangers of the situation, combined with the special interest of the League of Nations in Austrian affairs, which prevented violent action.

NO WILL FOR WAR

After the Marcellus murders, there was apparent a similar anxiety to localise the effects of the assassin's madness. Yugo-Slavia's official restraint was as assuring as Italy's obvious desire to keep the peace—this was certainly not the Mussolini of bellicose speech who is offering his condolences to a neighbouring State with whom relations were not of the best. We may perhaps take heart even in the present distressing circumstances. There has been much war-talk lately, but as soon as there is any real possibility of war, the nations almost without exception seem desperately eager to avoid the mad adventure. On the other hand, of course, Europe may not be able to stand too many shocks such as she has recently experienced. The moral is clearly that the existing peace machinery of the League of Nations should be strengthened in every way possible, so that it shall be competent to deal with any emergency.

NAPOLEON—AND TODAY

Attention is being called to the political aims and achievements of Napoleon by the activities of European dictators. On the cultural side interest is manifested in the circumstance that several plays with Napoleon as hero are announced for production in London during the current theatrical season. The two interests are united, as it were, in the drama that has been written on the same subject by Signor Benito Mussolini. It is not surprising that Napoleon should exercise such a fascination over the thoughts of men. He attained to a position of dazzling brilliance in the face of tremendous handicaps. And he was not merely a man of war. He had in view far-reaching schemes of international organisation that in some respects were in advance of his time. On these and similar branches of his career too much attention can never be concentrated. Yet, for the present age, these are not the things of the most striking moment. More instructive still is the feeble flicker in which that unparalleled blaze of glory ended. No man is ever likely to have a more terrific and titanic genius than Napoleon, or to be supported by more devoted and impassioned service through long years of struggle. But, in spite of all this, Napoleon crashed. His career is a final proof that even the grandest and ablest schemes, if based on personal domination, a fundamental wrong, cannot endure.

**SOUTH AFRICA MUST
SETTLE NATIVE POLICY**

By SIR JOHN HARRIS

THE visit of General Smuts to Britain to receive the Lord Rectorship of St. Andrews is being closely watched by South Africa. But the interest of South Africa is not focussed upon St. Andrews, but upon a meeting which it is understood will take place between the General and Mr. J. H. Thomas.

South Africa expects General Smuts to discuss with Mr. Thomas the transfer to the Government of South Africa of three great Protectorates, Bechuanaland, Basutoland, and Swaziland, which were placed, at their own request, under the trusteeship of the British Crown and People.

In the Act of Union under which Great Britain gave South Africa a Constitution, there are articles which permit of a conditional surrender of our Trusteeship to the South African Government.

Since Great Britain gave the Act of Union to South Africa, things have happened which demand answers to two questions of such importance that no British Government could consider the surrender of its Trusteeship until explicit answers have been supplied.

The first of these is constitutional. Where stands the British Crown to-day after the recent passage of the Statute Act? The Act of Union states clearly that "the King may disallow any law made by the Governor-General and Council by proclamation within one year"; again, "all Bills to amend or alter the Schedule must await His Majesty's pleasure." Therein, as the natives have always said, lay their one safeguard.

If the protecting rights of the British Crown have been abolished under the recent Statute Act, that safeguard has vanished.

Members of Parliament in South Africa have affirmed that the Statute Act passed this year has dissolved any legal bonds between Great Britain and South Africa. Dr. Malan has placed on record the opinion that "the status of South Africa is now one of complete sovereign independence" with the right of neutrality and "the right to become a Republic."

For these reasons the British people must be told plainly whether the trustee rights held by the British Crown under the Act of Union have been dissolved or whether the Crown will share with the South African Government the trusteeship, privileges and rights to watch over the moral and material well-being of the inhabitants of these territories.

The second question is: What "native policy" is it intended to apply to these territories when transferred? Two views of native policy struggle for supremacy; that of the Transvaal Grandwits; "There can be no equality in Church or State between white and black"; and that of Cecil Rhodes: "Equal rights for all civilised men."

Until the South African Government decides upon its native policy, how is it possible for any Government to give its consent to a transfer of its trusteeship?

The question which will fill the minds of the native inhabitants of the Protectorates is this: "What is going to be the permanent and deliberately adopted policy of the Government and Parliament of the Union of South Africa towards all South African natives, whether at present living within the territories of the Union or within the territories of the Protectorates?"

And not only the natives, but assuredly also members of the British Parliament?

Speeches in the South African Parliament have already envisaged the disposition of the natives of their lands if and when control of the Protectorates is secured. The franchise of the natives in Cape Colony, a highly-prized legacy of British Administration so carefully safeguarded in the Act of Union is to be abolished. When that takes place, not a single native throughout the South African Union will possess a voice in the legislature of his own country. Ten years ago the outlines of a "policy" was submitted to a Select Committee. It has never reported because the members are divided as to whether the South African is to be kept as a slave or allowed to become a man!

How gladly would the natives and their friends welcome an invitation to hammer out together a real native policy, provided General Smuts is prepared to tell Mr. Thomas that South Africa accepts the only sound, just and safe basic principle of "equal rights for all civilised men."

**PRINCE'S BRIDE
AN ARTIST**

**DRAWS FOR AMATEUR
EXHIBITION**

Princess Marina has sent to Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, a charming drawing of a boy's head, which she has drawn specially for the Exhibition of Amateur Art by All Ages, now in progress at Agnew's Galleries, Old Bond Street, London, in aid of the Hedingham Training Camps and Employment Scheme.

The picture, which Princess Marina sent over specially from Paris through the medium of the British Embassy, is a large one. It arrived on Friday, and is now on view, occupying a prominent position on the panel devoted to work by members of the British and other Royal Houses.

The collection, which is the largest group of pictures by living Royal artists ever shown together, has been arranged by Princess Alice. Other additions newly on view are a painting by Princess Beatrice, and one by Princess Alice's daughter, Lady May Abel-Smith, painted at the age of 14.



"Oh, mother talks a lot, but how many times has she married just for money?"

The Very Idea!

SPEAKING OF CAREERS

By Eddie "Northcliffe" Kelly

Everybody seems to be writing autobiographies (my, what big words you have Eddie!) these days, so we're going to take a hand. What the public needs in these days of doubt and distrust is to hear about the inner workings of a newspaper, and we are the man to tell 'em.

WE remember the late Lord Phlog, that day of journalistic plenipotentiaries, remarking to us once in the sub-editor's room of the old "Encyclopaedia Britannica," "My boy, now is what gets in the paper."

There was a lot to be said for his opinion, and a lot to be said against it, and with this in mind, we answered, "Yes . . . and no."

"So you don't agree with me?" he chafed.

"Well," we replied, "We do . . . and we don't."

Time has proved us right . . . and wrong.

News, we have discovered, is what we get in the paper. But we never get anything in the paper.

It's a funny game, the newspaper game—funny and fascinating. Fascinating, that's it. It gets you. It got us. It didn't want us, but it got us just the same.

We'll never forget our first newspaper jolt. On the old "Blackie's Clear-type Atlas," it was. Old Mr. Blackie—a proper gent, if ever there was one—used to come in every evening to read the proofs. He read them aloud to us, and if we understood them he knew they were no good. What a paper that was, the old "Atlas."

"Listen, mug," Mr. Blackie said to us one night, in the inimitable way that endeared him to us all, "the roundman has fallen down on the population of Arrhem Land, and if that young jackanapes, Webster, scoops me on this, his gazetteer supplement is made. Go to it!"

We knew him too well to ask him what we were to go to. We just went. That was how we worked in those days. By the greatest of good luck we ran into Burke down at the corner.

Burke, by the way, was one of the most brilliant pressmen of the age. Starting as a cadet on "Sand's Directory," he worked up to the ownership of "The Peacemaker" in a little under seventy years.

"Burke, old chap," we said, "We're in a quandary—what shall we do?"

"Ring up the Privy Seal," said Burke without hesitation.

It was good advice. We took it. But the trouble was, the privy seal wouldn't come to the phone. In fact, the keeper said he wouldn't bring any of the seals to the phone at that hour for no-one, as they were performing.

It was then that we had one inspiration. Dashing back to the office, we hurriedly typed out:

"THE POPULATION OF ARNHEM LAND IS NOT ASCERTAINABLE."

That was one of our biggest scoops. Next morning the "Atlas" sold out, and Webster, in desperation, added a special coloured plate of Flags of All Nations. That was how sensational journalism began.

Years later, when we had made our name, and was Pictorial Editor of "Old Moore's Almanac," we put over one of my most dazzling coups de tonnerre. The final edition was just going to press, when we had news that there was going to be an earthquake in Italy. Old Moore—a martinet, if ever there was one—had laid down a rule that earthquakes must always be illustrated.

There wasn't an earthquake block left in the office, all our photographers were out getting a flashlight of next October's grasshopper plague in Syria . . . and the edition was going to press.

We cursed. Then we smiled. "Boy," we said, "got us a single column of the leaning tower of Pisa." He got it, and we ran it in the earthquake story—ON ITS SIDE!

(Another enthralling chapter from our life will appear next Friday, if the Editor of the Telegraph hasn't recovered from his bout of malaria in the meantime.)

Ship Ahoy!
Studebaker Sales Corporation of America
South Bend, Ind.
Gentlemen:

I don't understand why we can only go 15 to 18 miles on a gallon. I read how in the older days, even the Spaniards went 60 to 100 miles on a gallon. Was their gas so much better?

Armed Guthbert.
(signed)

Taking Ways.
Biltmore Hotel
Los Angeles, Cal.
Dear Mister Manager

Can I get a position in your Hotel? I took up English, Italian, Hebrew, French and German.
I worked as elevator man in the Ritz Hotel, Paris.
Milos Stratton.

Right You Are.
Mr. Max Loewenthal,
Landlord
Dear Sir:

I don't think that apartment will really do for us. You see it's so dark and we want to do light housekeeping.
Mrs. Eugeno
(signed)

CHINA'S NEW
OPIUM WARDEATH FOR
TRAFFICKERSHINDRANCES TO
FULL CONTROL

Geneva, Nov. 15. Death is one of the most common penalties for those convicted on charges of trafficking in opium or other narcotic drugs in China, under the latest regulations communicated to the League of Nations. The Opium Advisory Committee discussed this phase of the Far East effort at control to-day.

The injection of morphine into another person for non-medical purposes was also punishable by death, according to the new Chinese regulations, it was reported.

The recent development of anti-narcotic legislation in China is said to envisage abolition of all opium licences in the country after a six-year period.

Certain persons, chiefly aged folk and inveterate smokers, are allowed to smoke opium, but all sales to such people are made subject to licence.

The Chinese representative on the Committee insisted, however, that the collaboration of a certain power was necessary, otherwise the Chinese Government's anti-narcotic campaign would be vain. —*Reuter*.

HONGKONG'S FIRST
DIVORCE

(Continued from Page 1.)

at Hamilton Road, Singapore, on or about May 8, 1933; also on or about May 21, also at Hamilton Road; also on May 26 at Syed Alvi Road; also on July 1, the names of the women being unknown to petitioner.

The petitioner stated that there had been no collusion or connivance between the parties for the purpose of the dissolution of the marriage or for any other purpose. Petitioner sought: 1. dissolution of the marriage; 2. custody of the child; 3. such further and other relief as the Court might see fit to order.

When the case was called petitioner, a tall, handsome woman brightly dressed, went into the box and took the oath.

ADULTERY ADMITTED
After formal evidence as to her name, address, and marriage she said, in answer to counsel, that her husband had admitted the fact of adultery to her.

"The rest of the evidence is on affirmation and I do not think it need be read," said Mr. Sheldon.

Mr. Jenkin declined to cross-examine.

Mr. Sheldon referred to the statement of adultery and read the affirmation of a Mr. Arathoon.

Petitioner, recalled to give evidence of domicile, said her husband was of Portuguese nationality and was born in Hongkong, where the family residence was situated.

Mr. Sheldon said on this evidence he asked for a decree nisi with costs and the custody of the child, the latter being a matter which could be dealt with in chambers.

PARTIES AGREE.
Mr. Butler said he hoped the matter could be dealt with in chambers forthwith, as the parties were happily in agreement on the matter.

His Lordship: Certainly. Addressing Mr. Sheldon, his Lordship asked if any period had been prescribed under the Ordinance for the decree nisi.

Counsel said the period was six months under the rules.

His Lordship: Under there is no need to fix it under that section.

His Lordship granted the decree nisi with costs, and the parties then adjourned to chambers to deal with the petition for the custody of the child.

Pleading guilty to the theft of 30 panes of glass from a dwelling house, No. 487 Yuen Chow Street, the property of Ma Chik-nang, rent collector, Tsang Fat, unemployed, was sentenced to one month's hard labour, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning.

It was stated that after being arrested, the defendant took a Chinese detective to Castle Peak Road where he had hidden the glass.

In connection with the Robert Morrison Centenary, the Finance Committee acknowledges with thanks the following subscriptions to the Alice Memorial and Netherstone Hospital Building Fund:—Dr. Li Shu-fan, \$50; collection taken at St. Andrew's Village on Hospital Sunday, \$33.83. This brings the total to \$4,687.48. Further subscriptions will be gratefully received by Mr. J. B. Rose, c/o the Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd., Hongkong.

HOPE TO SETTLE
MONOPOLY ISSUEJAPAN
OFFERS
TO HELPMANCHUKUO AND
AMERICASAITO CALLS
ON HULL

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Nov. 15. The Japanese Ambassador to Washington, Mr. Saito, to-day paid an informal call on Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, and immediately afterwards announced that circumstances may compel Japan to act as an intermediary between the United States and Manchukuo in the oil monopoly dispute.

Mr. Saito said he had not offered this suggestion to Mr. Hull, however, though they had discussed the Manchukuo situation. The difficulties which had arisen out of the determination of that state to shut out foreign competition from the oil markets, they had not touched upon on this occasion, he said.

Mr. Hull said he was continuing his pursuit of the latest Japanese note in order to determine the action which the United States would take. —*United Press*.

WILLING TO HELP

Washington, Nov. 15. Japan is willing to act as an intermediary, Mr. Saito, the Japanese Ambassador said to-day, in order that the American dispute with Manchukuo over the oil monopoly might be settled amicably. He had a long conference with Mr. Cordell Hull. —*Reuter Special*.

NO NEGOTIATIONS

London, Nov. 15. Mr. Anthony Eden, Lord Privy Seal, stated to-day that no negotiations or conversations were at present occurring between Great Britain and Japan "for dealing with the general situation in the Far East, including the future of Manchukuo." —*United Press*.

MANILA STOCK
EXCHANGEPHILIPPINE GOLD
SHARE QUOTATIONS

To-day's quotations as received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz shortly after the close of the morning session of the Manila Stock Exchange are as follows:—

	Asked	Bid	Sales	Volume
	Price	Price		in Pounds
Antamok Goldfields	0.40	0.44	0.45	1000
Manila Gold Mining	0.33	0.32	0.33	1000
Manila Consolidated	1.10	1.10	1.10	1000
Manila Mines	0.17	0.17	0.18	1000
Manila Gold Mining Co.	1.00	1.00		
Manila Mining Co.	7.10	7.00	7.00	1000
Manila Consolidated	0.13	0.12		
Manila Consolidated	0.32	0.30		
Manila Consolidated	0.28	0.27		

C. & P. Gold share Index 71.5. Market
Vol. Volume Pounds 22,000.

ELECTRIC STAR FAVOURED FOR HONGKONG ST. LEGER

LATEST SOCCER TRANSFERS

NOTTS. C. SIGN TWO MEN FROM TORQUAY

The following football transfers are notified from Home:—
Stabb (centre-forward) and Steele (outside-right), Torquay to Notts County; A. Warburton (inside-forward), Nelson to Fulham; G. Goddard (centre-forward), Wolves to Sunderland; A. P. Lythgoe (centre-forward), Stockport to Huddersfield; Rice (centre-forward), Manchester United to Wrexham; Bryant (forward), Wrexham to Manchester United; L. Murphy (outside-left) Norwich to Luton.
Fulham's recruit, Warburton, was with Manchester United for 4½ years and then went to Burnley, for whom he played 26 League matches last season. He was retained but declined terms last May and went to Nelson. Warburton is 27, weighs 11 stone 6lb. and stands 5ft. 8½in.
There has been much competition for the services of Lythgoe, who during the past two seasons has scored 98 goals. He joined Stockport from Ashton National in 1932, and it is understood that Huddersfield have paid more than £3,000 for him.

Charlie Jones, the Notts manager, concluded his deal with the Torquay club officials at Bristol. Steele used to be with Oldham. He and Stabb would play for Notts against Fulham.

It is understood that Sunderland paid the Wolves about £1,200 for Goddard.

He joined Queen's Park Rangers from Redhill in 1926, heading their list of goal-scorers in each season from that point till the season before he left. He has so far made 222 League appearances and has obtained 151 goals.

Murphy became a professional with Derby County in 1921 and after seven seasons went to Bolton. Later he joined Mansfield and in 1931 was transferred to Norwich.

Millwell have signed J. W. Chudwin, a promising goalkeeper from Selston Welfare, Notts.

Brighton and Hove Albion are giving a trial to W. Mullin, an inside-forward from Wallaseid.

H. Williams, the Lancashire centre-forward, who has scored 15 goals in five games this season, has signed amateur forms for Millwall and would have a trial last month in a London Combination game.

Winner £450. Second £250. Third £150. For Australian Ponies. Winners of more than one race since 1st January, 1934, barred. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

7-5 p.m.—Inverness Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

8-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(First Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

9-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Second Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

10-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Third Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

11-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Fourth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

12-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Fifth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

13-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Sixth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

14-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Seventh Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

15-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Eighth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

16-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Ninth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

17-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Tenth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

18-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Eleventh Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

19-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Twelfth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

20-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Thirteenth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

21-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Fourteenth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

22-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Fifteenth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

23-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Sixteenth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

24-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Seventeenth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

25-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Eighteenth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

26-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Nineteenth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

27-5.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Twentieth Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

ST. ANDREW'S STAKES

TWELFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING

The programme for the 12th Extra Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club, scheduled for December 1, will be as follows:

1-2 p.m.—The "Ewo" Handicap.—(Unimetal).—For China Ponies. Classic Winners barred. To be entered and ridden by Members of the Staff of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. and The Jardine Engineering Corporation, Ltd. Ponies to be the property of any Owner or Owners. Jockeys to be nominated with Entries. A Cup will be presented to the Winning Jockey. No Entrance Fee. No Sinks. One Mile.

2-2.30 p.m.—Glasgow Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies. "B" Class. Entrance One Mile.

3-3 p.m.—St. Andrew's Stakes.—A Cup presented with \$750 added for Winner \$300. Second \$300. Third \$200. For China Ponies. Winners at date of entry of more than \$4,000 in stakes since 1st January, 1934, weight for inches as per scale; of \$3,000 to \$4,000, 3 lb. allowance; of \$2,000 to \$3,000, 7 lb. allowance; of less than \$2,000, 10 lb. allowance. Jockey Allowance. Allowances accumulative. Entrance \$10. One and a Half Miles.



"Bunny" Austin, the British Davis Cup player, who is stated to be considering a handsome offer which has been made to him to turn professional.

4-3.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. "B" Class. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

5-4 p.m.—Crest Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

6-4.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

7-4.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

8-4.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

9-4.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

10-4.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

11-4.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

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16-4.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

17-4.30 p.m.—Comrie Handicap.—(Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies. Subscribers of this Club of this season that have won less than \$2,000 in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

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SATURDAY'S RACE CARD REVIEWED

HYDROPLANE NOT EXPECTED TO FOLLOW UP DERBY WIN

LOCAL QUADRUPLE CROWN

(By "Captain Foster")

The Hongkong Jockey Club has still to record its quadruple crown here. A sporting gesture on the part of Mr. Dunbar deprived Liberty Bay from achieving this unique distinction in 1932, although as an owner he won the four chief classics that year. Liberty Bay won the Hongkong Derby, The Champion Stakes and the Hongkong St. Leger. It was left to his stable companion Gleneagles to win the Autumn Champions.

In England, the classic races are confined to three year olds and, therefore, these classic events can only be won once by the same horse. On this principle, our classics in Hongkong should be the Hongkong Derby and Hongkong St. Leger, as these two events are confined to griffins of each year, and can only be won once by the same pony.

Records show that these two important races have been won on two occasions by the same pony. Liberty Bay was successful in 1932, and Trentbridge followed in his foot-steps in 1933.

ELECTRIC STAR'S CHANCES

The 1934 Hongkong St. Leger comes up for decision to-morrow and I think I can safely say that this year's Derby winner, Hydroplane, will not join the select band of dual winners. Owing to what may be called the exigencies of training and other causes, such as the case of the Electric Star, which was the only one of the two to be left out of one's calculations for to-morrow's premier race, I am inclined to believe that the Electric Star will not be a contender for the Leger.

The Electric Star is a very good horse, but he is not a stayer and I expect to see him give a good account of himself to-morrow. The same remarks apply to King's Warden (Mr. Heard). Bright View (Mr. Pih) is another good long distance performer, and he finished second to Hydroplane in the Derby, but he has not pleased me in training this Autumn. He appears to have lost his stride and therefore I do not think he can possibly reproduce the form he displayed last February. I do not think the HEM Stable will be represented in the race.

SUB-GRIFFIN ST. LEGER

The field for the Sub-Griffin St. Leger will be a small one as I gather that Chow Fan, Kindo, Little Beauty, Sarabande and Young Chap will not be competing. I was surprised to hear that Young Chap will be a non-starter. I considered his prospects very good as he has the reputation of being a good long distance pony. Tiny Star (Mr. Butler) has an outstanding chance of annexing the prize and he is my selection for a win. Cavalcade (Mr. Pih) is dangerous and, in a slow run race, might quite easily win, as he has a fine burst of speed. St. Ives (Mr. Proulx) is capable of finishing in the first three if he is in the mood. Backing him is therefore somewhat in the nature of a long shot. Copper Idol (Mr. P. P. Botelho) is quietly fancied but I do not think the pony looks as well as he did a month ago. Classic Hall (Mr. Heard) is moving nicely but I am afraid the distance of a mile and three-quarters may be beyond his compass.

FREEMANTLE ST. LEGER

There are five entrants for the Freemantle St. Leger, and I gather all the animals will face the Starter. Naturally, on performance, Able Amazon (Mr. Butler) stands out. She is well and fit, and therefore I see no reason why she should not win. Racing Heart (Mr. Heard) and Bag Tor (Mr. Davis) have had a careful Leger preparation. I have no hesitation in saying that both are vastly improved animals since the Spring. The improvement is so marked that I gather both riders (especially Mr. Heard) are hopeful of extending Able Amazon, good

as she is known to be. I expect to see an interesting race but, all the same, I shall not be surprised to see Able Amazon shoot out and win easily. She has also come on a good deal in condition since the Spring. I feel the three places will be filled by these ponies and I cannot therefore enthuse over the chances of High Finance (Mr. P. P. Botelho) and Mutiny Bay (Mr. Proulx).

HOTHAM HANDICAP

As regards the remaining five less important races, I expect to see good racing, which commences with the Hotham Handicap. We shall see a small field and one in which I am afraid very little enthusiasm will be shown from a betting point of view, as the place part will pay on the first two ponies only. Dinty (Mr. Deitz) will run well but I am not so sure that weight and distance may not just prevent him from winning. Empire Day (Mr. Proulx) appears to me to have the best credentials and I therefore expect to see this weight-carrying Black well up at the finish. Friday (Mr. Pung) has a light weight and, I think, will finish in the first three.

TAIPO HANDICAP

A good field will muster for this sprint, and I expect the finish will be fought out between Chief Seattle (Mr. Davis), Heart's Glory (Mr. Deitz) and Gold Currency (Mr. Pih). I am inclined to support Chief Seattle for a win as he has great speed over a short distance. The pony, however, is not nearly as good as he was in the early part of the year but, I think, he is good enough to account for this field, with the possible exception of Heart's Glory, who, also has a fine turn of speed for short distances, and is in the fine fettle just now. We should see a great race between them.

FANLING HANDICAP

Young Chap (Mr. Pih) goes out in this race in preference to the St. Leger, but I have a feeling that this distance is too short for him. The opposition however is not particularly strong and therefore he should just about win. I like the chances of Sarabande (Mr. Pih) and In Good Time (Mr. P. P. Botelho) and of the two, my fancy is Sarabande, who is going well just now.

CASTLE PEAK HANDICAP

This sprint race will attract Brechin (Mr. P. P. Botelho) Gladstone (Mr. Charles) High Speed (Mr. Pih) King's Bounty (Mr. Davis) King's Fancy (Mr. Heard) Macaroni (Mr. Pung) and Oak Bay (Mr. Proulx). The Dynasty pair, Brechin and Oak Bay appear to have the best chances of winning the race. King's Fancy is fast but I fear she has too much weight for her light frame to carry, and for this reason I cannot confidently say that she will win, although I am satisfied that she will run well. Her stable companion, King's Bounty is also very dangerous and can be depended upon to be in the picture. If we have a yielding course, Brechin will be bang up with the leaders at the finish but if the course is bone dry and hard, I am inclined to leave him out of one's reckoning for a win. He does not seem to be taking hard going. Oak Bay appears to me and I fancy his chances very much indeed for this race. He is fast over a short distance and his win in the Black's Link Handicap—carrying 160 lbs and in which the first half mile was done in 56 3/5 seconds left a deep impression on me.

SHUM CHUM HANDICAP

Racing Boy (Mr. Li) is my choice for a win here, and perhaps he will

Bodyline Attacked By Hobbs

VOLUME WHICH MAY PROVOKE A STORM

In his book, "The Fight for the Ashes" (Harrap, 8s. 6d.), Jack Hobbs strongly condemns bodyline bowling and deems it imperative that the M.C.C. should come out with a definite lead.

Hobbs avers that no comparison can be made between the bodyline bowling of current controversy and the bowling of George Hirst.

Any bowler can bowl fairly at the leg stump, but to say that bodyline is bowling to a leg field is to state only half the truth.

"It is the short bumping ball at the man when a leg field is set to which I and, I think, the Australians too, take strong objection."

That definition is probably the holdest ever yet made by any of the critics who saw the memorable Tests in Australia and at Nottingham. It will doubtless provoke considerable resentment.

Hobbs declares that "only those who saw Larwood and Voce in



Gordon Richards, the champion jockey, who completed his 200 winners this season at Derby on Wednesday.

action have any idea of what is meant by bodyline."

Describing Australia as the better side in the Test Matches of last summer Hobbs makes an interesting analysis of O'Reilly and Grimmett and then refers in equally flattering terms to Bradman and Ponsford who "killed" the English attackers in the last two Tests.

TEST-OBSESSED

As for the English batsmen, Hobbs thinks they were for the most part over-obsessed by the importance of a Test and failed to play their ordinary game.

Though England's Selection Committee is not definitely arranged there occurs one reference to the Oval match in which the author affirms that "Wynt was given a side that was all bits and pieces."

Illustrated by pictures and diagrams—the latter were drawn by W. Ferguson, the Australian official scorer—the book is devoted mainly to a sequential story of the whole tour and it is dedicated to Mr. Edward Chataway, the Editor of the London Star.

HOME RUGBY

London, Nov. 15. Cambridge University suffered a heavy defeat at the hands of their Dublin University men yesterday, losing by 28 points to 6.

Gloucester registered a win against the Oxford Greyhounds of 18 points to 9.—*Reuter*.

be followed home by The Tiger (Mr. Choy Wing-chiu) and Jungo Jim (Mr. W. H. Chio). Wonderful Stag (Mr. Tang Man-wa) and Spinaway (Capt. Jordan) may also figure in the finish. On a soft course Flying Tourist should not be entirely ignored.

My final selections will be given to-morrow.

PONY TRAINING TIMES

ST. LEGER CANDIDATES TRY OUT

The following times were clocked this morning:—

Mutiny Bay	36	31	58.1	27.1
Racing Heart	36	37.1	1.03.1	26
Little Beauty	36	35	1.00.1	31.1
Snacko	36	41	1.01.3	31.1
Iron Grey	36	29.3	29.3	29.3
Daylight Eve	36	31	1.01.0	30.4
Great Hall	36	33	1.04.1	31.1
Classic Hall	36	33	1.03.30	30.1
Able Amazon	36	30	56.4	23.4
Racing Boy	36	32	32	32
Brechin	36	34.4	1.00.3	23.4
Flying Tourist	36	31.2	1.02	30.3
Soldier of Britain	36	34.1	1.02.2	28.1
Pie Face	36	34.0	1.06.4	32.1
Burgomaster	36	33.0	33.3	33.3
Fudge	36	30.3	30.3	30.3
King's Worthy	36	28	28	28
King's Bounty	36	28	28	28
Portia	36	33.3	1.00.2	23
Wonderful Stag	36	30	30	30
Wayward Stag	36	35.1	1.05	29
Electric Star	36	33	1.03.3	30.3
Don	36	30.2	30.2	30.2
Ribbie	36	31.2	1.01.2	30
Bright Star	36	30	1.03	32
King's Warden	36	1.01	1.01	28
Zero	36	30	30	30
Tiny Star	36	35	1.05.1	31
Brilliant Star	36	35	1.05.1	30
Sarabande	36	31	1.04.3	33.1
Bold Commander	36	31	1.04.3	33.1
Chesterfield	36	31.3	31.3	31.3
King's Parade	36	46	1.17.1	31
Hell for Lenther	36	46	1.17.1	31
Copper Idol	36	34.1	1.06.1	31.1
Mayflower	36	30.3	1.01.2	30
Soldier of China	36	30.3	1.00.2	29
Spinaway	36	33.1	1.03.3	30.3
West Parade	36	33.1	1.03.3	30.3
Macaroni	36	36.3	1.06.3	31
The Tiger	36	29.2	1.02.1	29
Gladiator	36	29.4	1.00.1	30
Solar Star	36	33.1	1.03	29
Racing Luck	36	38.4	1.09.1	30.3
Kinda	36	36.1	1.07.1	31
No Fear	36	36.1	1.07.1	31
Cavalcade	36	28.4	28.4	28
Limelight	36	28.4	28.4	28
Soldier of Fortune	36	36.4	1.08.2	31.1
Liberty Bay	36	33.3	1.04.2	30
Young Chap	36	29.1	29.1	29
Colombo	36	34.4	1.08.2	33
In Good Time	36	33.1	1.05	31.1
St. Ives	36	32.4	1.03.1	30
Under the	36	32.4	1.03.1	30



The swimming and water polo team of the Headquarter Wing of the South Wales Borderers, with trophies. (Photo: Mee Cheung).

LOCAL BADMINTON

Fire Brigade Defeat
Recreio Team

In a friendly mixed doubles badminton game at the Fire Brigade Recreation Club on Wednesday evening, the Fire Brigade defeated the Club de Recreio by five sets to four. The standard of play was high, both teams displaying form which should carry them far in the League tourney. The results were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Shute (Fire Brigade) beat Mr. and Mrs. Silva 21-0; beat J. J. Remedios and Miss A. Remedios 21-6; lost to Mr. and Mrs. E. de Sousa 7-21; W. Macintosh Smith and Mrs. R. Kirkwood (Fire Brigade) beat

HOCKEY

The following will represent the U.S. Cosmos Hockey Team in a friendly match against H.M.S. Wild Swan on Saturday, at Caroline Hill h.o. at 4 p.m.:—Gurdial Singh; Jagreet Singh, W. J. Chan-son; A. Goucyra, Karnail Singh, Chanan Singh; Bhagwan Singh, Surjit Singh, Awtar Singh, Attar Singh, F. A. Kemp (Captain). Reserves:—Lo So and N. Osman.

Oliveira and Miss Silva 21-20, beat Remedios and Miss Remedios 21-6; beat Mr. and Mrs. de Sousa 21-8; E. Greenwood and Miss C. Wolf (Fire Brigade) lost to Oliveira and Miss Silva 4-21; lost to Remedios and Miss Remedios 11-21; lost to Mr. and Mrs. de Sousa 1-21.

TO-MORROW'S
CRICKETTEAMS FOR LEAGUE
MATCHES

The following will represent the Indian R. C. first eleven in a League match against the Kowloon C. C. seniors at King's Park to-morrow: F. D. Pereira (Capt.), A. R. Minu, A. H. Madar, A. H. Ramjahn, A. R. Abbas, K. Nazarin, M. P. Madar, S. A. Jamal, M. el Arculli, A. S. Sulhad and A. Rahim.

The following will represent the Indian R. C. seconds against the Kowloon C. C. seconds in a League fixture at Soekunpoo:—H. T. Barma (Capt.), A. K. Jamal, A. M. Ram-jahn, M. R. Abbas, S. Abbas, A. Baker, A. H. Baker, A. R. Marker, A. R. Sulhad, A. R. Kitchell and M. Afzal.

CRAIGENGOWER JUNIORS

The Junior eleven of the Craigen-gower C. C. to meet the R. A. S. C. in a Second Division League match at Happy Valley will be composed of the following players:—W. K. Way (Capt.), E. Souza, C. W. Lam, G. Souza, A. R. H. Emall, C. E. Wong, J. R. Luke, A. Kitchell, E. S. Cunningham, G. A. Lee and N. Brond-bridge.

ARMY v. CRAIGENGOWER

A friendly match between the Army and the Craigen-gower C. C. seniors is being played at Soekunpoo to-morrow, when the civilian club will be represented by the following players: A. B. Hanson (Capt.), J. L. Young, J. R. Zimmerman, E. C. Barry, J. W. Leonard, F. K. Lee, Y. Abbas, L. Hubbard, A. F. Flynn, G. Lal and A. A. Lewis.

A NAVAL YARD TEAM

The following will represent the R. N. A. Depot's eleven in a friendly cricket match against Indian R. C. seconds on Sunday, on the latter's ground, commencing 2 p.m.:—W. H. Amerton, L. T. Hubbard, Lieut. Com. F. T. Roswell, R.N., E. C. G. Barry (Capt.), A. B. Abbas, A. Rahman, J. W. Walker, R. C. Beck-ham, A. G. Edwards, T. W. Duffield and K. Nazarin. Secretary:—A. Meloy.

INTRA-CLUB FIXTURE

The following teams are to play on Sunday at 11 a.m. sharp in a Kowloon C. C. Intra-Club League match:

F. A. Munn's team:—F. A. Munn (Capt.), A. E. Perry, G. B. Jones, C. R. Sargent, C. I. Stapleton, H. Hampton, S. P. Simcocks, A. A. Dand, F. C. Clemo, G. H. King, H. Overy, A. J. Conley, V. Freeman and E. Zimmerman.

P. E. Lawrence's team:—P. E. Lawrence (Capt.), R. Lee, V. A. Burling, B. Lay, E. P. Fincher, P. Broadbridge, S. A. Gray, S. Jee, W. Mulcahy, M. R. Swain, L. A. Oppen-heim, J. Fraser, W. C. Excell and N. A. E. Mackay.

LOCAL CRICKET NOTES
K.C.C.'S DISAPPOINTING BATTING
DISPLAY AGAINST THE CLUB
SATURDAY'S PROSPECTS

(By R. Abbie)

The main event of the week-end cricket was the two day game between the H.K.C.C. and Kowloon on the Club Ground. To be quite frank, it was rather a disappointing game and ran fairly close to expectation generally, though I feel sure the K.C.C. batting is not really as bad as it was on Monday. I think the weather had a lot to do with it!

On Saturday the Club opened on a good and easy wicket, and the winning of the toss may have had quite a lot to do with the result. In one way—though I do not think the Club could have lost. As it was, the first wicket put on just over forty before one of Hung's shorter balls turned in a bit and hit Duckitt's gloves, with the result of a catch at the wicket. After this, there was the only sensation of the afternoon, as Alec Pearce shaped to hook the first ball he received and, as it kept very low, put it straight to A.T. Lay at forward short-leg. Just after, T.E. Pearce tried to drive F.S.W. Smith, who had no one right out, and failed to carry deep mid-on (52-3-2). But only two more wickets fell during the afternoon. Baines does not seem capable of quick scoring, and after batting about an hour and a half for thirty-seven, asked me to miff in trying to force the game. The rest was good batting on the part of Owen Hughes and Hayward, and had bowling on the part of Kowloon. The only two troublemakers who shaped well were Robert Lee and Burnett, in his first spell. Smith kept a fair length, but seemed to lack devil and spin off the pitch.

A BEASTLY DAY

Monday was, frankly, a perfectly foul day, and the Club side went out to field in rather a beastly drizzle which lasted off and on until 11 p.m. From the moment that Redmond yoked Teddy Fincher with the score at eighty only, nothing went well for them. Rum-say—contrary to certain newspaper reports—made a very pretty twenty, in which he showed all his old skill. But at thirty, he lost sight of Ricketts' first ball—(really they should heighten the screen or fillet Ricketts a bit)—and got inside it. Owen Hughes made one of his anaconda-like catches at full length in the slips. After that Stapleton alone seemed on terms with the bowling, and when just after the interval, Redmond got a real good "nast" him all was over, for the miserable score of eighty-four.

WORSE TO COME

The second innings was ever worse, though more runs were scored. Teddy Fincher led off brightly with a quick twenty-seven, but he tried to go too fast and skied Ricketts to cover. Stapleton—I like the name—"Cast-Iron"—batted an hour for three and Willy Hung batted twenty minutes for thirty-eight, and hit eight fours, showing the Club at-tack was not as good as it had seemed to be. It was, however, pretty useful. At one time Ricketts had figures 7-4-6-4, but eleven runs were taken off his eighth over. He bowled well, but was only opposed to the most un-enterprising batting. In the end the H.K.C.C. won hands down, and unless the Kowloon side can dig out a new bowler I am afraid they will not be much in the picture, unless they can play their Military mem-bers.

JUNIOR LEAGUE

Although the Senior I. R. C. Recreation fixture fell through, the Juniors played at Soekunpoo, and the home side were much too good for the Recreation though H.A. Barros and two Noronhas played very gallantly. Owing to their concession to the Senior Division, the Recreation are naturally weakened all round, and they must not be discouraged if great success does not

come their way this season. Westlake and H.E. Strange made more than half the C.S.C.C. score between them against the Police, but their bowling was weak, and, thanks to Hunter and Wynne, the Police won pretty easily. The C.S.C.C. want a little stiffening only, as they have potentialities, but too many passengers.

FRIENDLIES

Craigengower's batting is definitely useful and they scored very freely against a useful score put up by the University, who are no means a bad side, now that they have Dr. Ride to prop them up. It was a near draw. The Diocesan Boys' School put it across C.C.C. Juniors pretty convincingly, and I am glad to see that the School's reputation for producing useful cricketers is being so well maintained.

In the second eleven match between the H.K.C.C. and K.C.C. played on Saturday and Monday at K.C.C. there was a draw.

K.C.C. made 254 for eight wickets—thanks very largely to Norman Mackay, (who only found himself able to play cricket at the last moment, otherwise he would have been out for the first), to Perry, a last minute brand anaesthetized from the Civil Service burning—(they were not playing)—and to Mulcahy all of whom helped themselves freely. The Club also had to thank a Civil Servant, R.H. Griffiths, for a useful contribution, and then Scoones, a useful bat from H.A. dells, failed only by one to top the century. The Club, who were unable to bat before 11 p.m. owing to the state of the ground, passed the K.C.C. total by a good few runs, but as the game was a two-day one, the result was of course a draw.

TO-MORROW'S GAME

In the first Division of the League the only League game is that between the K.C.C. and the Indians at Kowloon. Were the game at Soekunpoo I would tip the Indians to win, but I do not fancy their chances so much at Kowloon, though I hardly think they can lose unless their batting entirely collapses. On the other hand I can hardly believe that the K.C.C. batting, if at full strength will be unable to face the admittedly strong Indian attack. The two Finchers, Rumsey, C.I. Stapleton and Munn should be backbone enough. Zimmerman I put down as a bowler. He may make runs but he does not look like it.

The Army are at home to Craigen-gower and University to the Navy—both friendlies as shown in the lists. As I see C.S.C.C. and Recreation have no dates, I presume the Club are also out of a Senior game. This sounds like a tip to back King's Warden!

SECOND DIVISION

I.R.C. at home should beat the Kowloon Juniors unless anything unforeseen occurs, while the Craigen-gower Juniors might beat the Army Service Corps if they can get Walsh out early on. Navy II are at home to the Diocesan Boys' School while the Civil Service, I believe, entertain the Central British School. The Club Juniors are at home to the Police. All these last games are friendlies. The match to watch of the whole lot of course will be the one at K.C.C.

In their Caer Clark Cup Competition match against the Central British School on the Central British Association Ground at King's Park to-morrow afternoon at 3.15, the Hongkong Ladies' Hockey Club will be represented by the following players:—B. Hanco; E. M. Gray and J. Smalley; E. O'Hagan, B. M. Pope and B. Belling; D. Davies, C. Ferguson, F. M. Harrop, J. Churchill and A. Jacks.

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IN A
BOXPLAY CONTROLLED
BY LOUD SPEAKER

A football match was recently refereed, by microphone and loud-speakers, from a box at a great height in a stand overlooking the ground.

The experiment, which was successful, was made by Mr. W. H. ("Bills") Walker, secretary-manager of Sheffield Wednesday, at the Wednesday's ground, and the game so refereed was the first half of a practice match.

Mr. Walker was in the box used in connection with the display of results.

He used a whistle in the ordinary way, and also took the opportunity now and again to give advice to the teams on tactics.

The players responded without difficulty, and in a way that suggested that the idea has possibilities, as men of experience would be able to officiate off the field long after they were unable to run about.

TWO REFEREES

The only assistance Mr. Walker needed was that of two line-men, who remained at the far end of the ground for the special purpose of assisting with off-side decisions.

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Car SmashREGGIE MEEN'S ARM
FRACTURED

Beggie Meen, former heavy-weight boxing champion, is in hospital at Malvern with a fractured arm as the result of a recent road crash.

Meen was driving his car from Leicester to Swansea, where he was to have fought last month. While taking a sharp, left-hand corner at Colwall, near Ledbury, the car struck the kerb and turned over. Meen's arm was crushed under the car.

His manager, Mr. James Pantor, said after the accident: "Owing to the severe injuries Meen suffered in a motor accident, when he was on the way to fight Charlie Bundy at Swansea, I am of the opinion that he will be unfit to fight again."

"He has a compound fracture of the right arm and severe laceration, and these I fear have put an end to his fighting."

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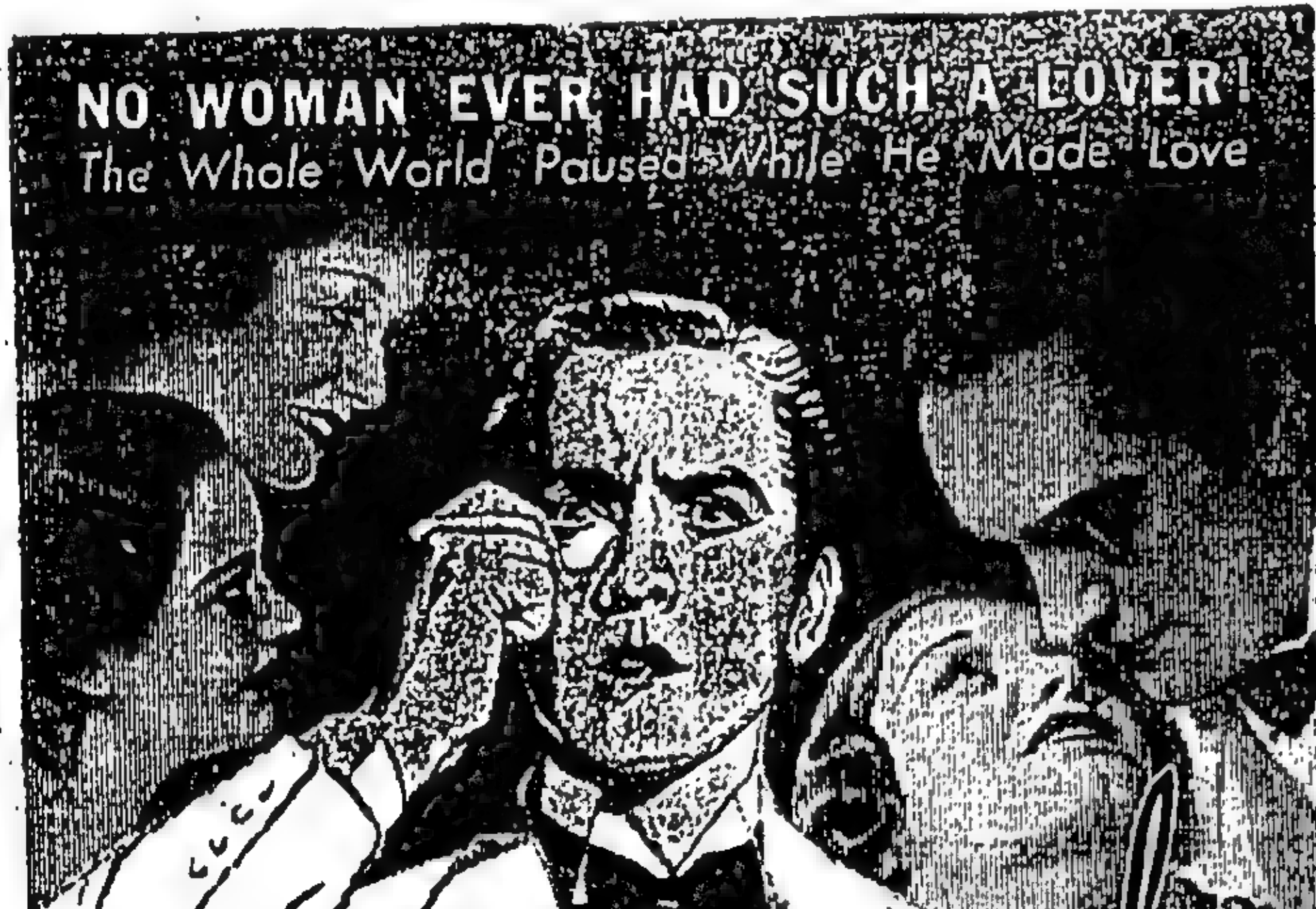
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SENT TO HOUSE OF DETENTION

Allegations of having been "hounded" and references to "untouchable things" in England, were made by Florence Helen Stratford, aged 40, an English woman, when she was again brought before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon on a charge of being apparently a vagrant.

Defendant was remanded "technically in Police custody" from Wednesday afternoon for evidence regarding an alleged unpaid bill from the Peninsula Hotel.

At yesterday's proceedings, Mr. A. K. Dimond, Manager of the Peninsula Hotel, testified that he first saw defendant on June 18. She came to Hongkong with a letter of introduction from a travelling agency in Australia, and was allotted a room in the Peninsula Hotel. Meals were supplied to her by the hotel.

A bill was presented to her weekly as was the custom, but half the time she was at the hotel she was indisposed and he did not press her for payment. However, she was finally pressed to pay her account and a formal letter was sent to her on July 16, asking for three weeks payment. Witness saw defendant on July 18 and she said she would not pay though she admitted that she had the money.

Being Hounded.

"She said she wanted to get to the bottom of something. She said something was hounding her," added Mr. Dimond.

"I naturally was not interested in Miss Stratford's private affairs. I was only interested in her payment of the account, but she maintained this attitude all along.

"I left the room and wrote her another letter. I told her that unless settlement was forthcoming within 24 hours we would be reluctantly compelled to ask her to give up her room."

The next day, witness had another talk with the defendant, but the conversation was more or less a repetition of that of the previous day. Miss Stratford always refusing to settle her account, which amounted to \$255.40.

His Worship: Has any of this money been paid since?

Witness: No.

This concluded the evidence for the Police.

His Worship (to defendant): There's enough evidence here to make it necessary for me to ask you to show me your means.

Defendant: Do you think so?

His Worship: Do you think so?

Defendant: No, I said "Do you think so?" because I don't.

His Worship: Do you wish to give evidence?—No, thank you.

Being Persecuted.

Is there anything you wish to say to me?—I wish to know why some people have been estranging me from my work, my friends, everything. Is it possible to find these people and ask why they have estranged me from everything? It is getting rather hard.

Defendant added that she had to leave England for Australia, and from Australia to Hongkong. This had been going on for a period of eight years, she said. She wanted

to know the reason why these people were doing all these things to her.

"If you want proof of what I have said, you can read my diary which I have kept day to day," she said.

His Worship: Why did you come to Hongkong?

Defendant: To work.

His Worship: Did they interfere with your work in Australia?

Yes.

Could you give us an account of what your work is?—Writing. I have written articles for newspapers and that sort of thing. I travel as a journalist, but I am not really a journalist. I write anything that comes to my mind. I started on a novel, but I have not been successful yet.

Have you made inquiries here for work?—Yes. I have been making enquiries at the P.W.D. I saw Mr. Davies once, and I saw Mr. Nolloth, of the Registration Department, twice. I have also been to an employment bureau.

Without result?—Yes, without result.

Have you any passage ticket at present?—Not here.

Have you one anywhere else?—I have sent it back to Australia to get the money on it.

Couldn't you get the money through the agents here?—I would get more money if I sent it back to Australia.

"Untouchable Things."

Besides these things you have just mentioned, have you other troubles?—Not in Hongkong, not in Australia, but there are untouchable things in England.

His Worship remarked that since it was impossible to get work for her in Hongkong—and she herself had tried—the best thing would be to provide her with lodging until the Government could come to some arrangement regarding her future.

His Worship said he did not know what the "untouchable things" in England were; but it seemed that her only resources were in England and that the only thing to do was to send her back there.

Defendant: It's no use sending me back there. I would be walking into it again.

Detective Sergeant Mottram interposed and said that defendant had once told the Police that if she could get in touch with a certain Hon. Miss Wild, who belonged to a society which had interested itself in Miss Stratford's case, defendant might consider returning to England. This Hon. Miss Wild resided at Tonbridge Wells.

Defendant: Me? No. Miss Wild's interest is Australia.

When defendant again referred to the "people in England," his Worship asked, "Who are these people you are referring to all the time?"

Defendant: People with whom I have lived for ten years. They are so annoyed with me over the things I have done that they are trying to estrange me from my work—There are things I cannot tell the Court. Private things in my life.

Defendant Convicted.

His Worship: Well, I am afraid I can come to no other conclusion but to convict defendant as a vagrant in the sense that she has no visible means of support at the present moment. The question is whether she is to be allowed to live here and look for work or to send her back.

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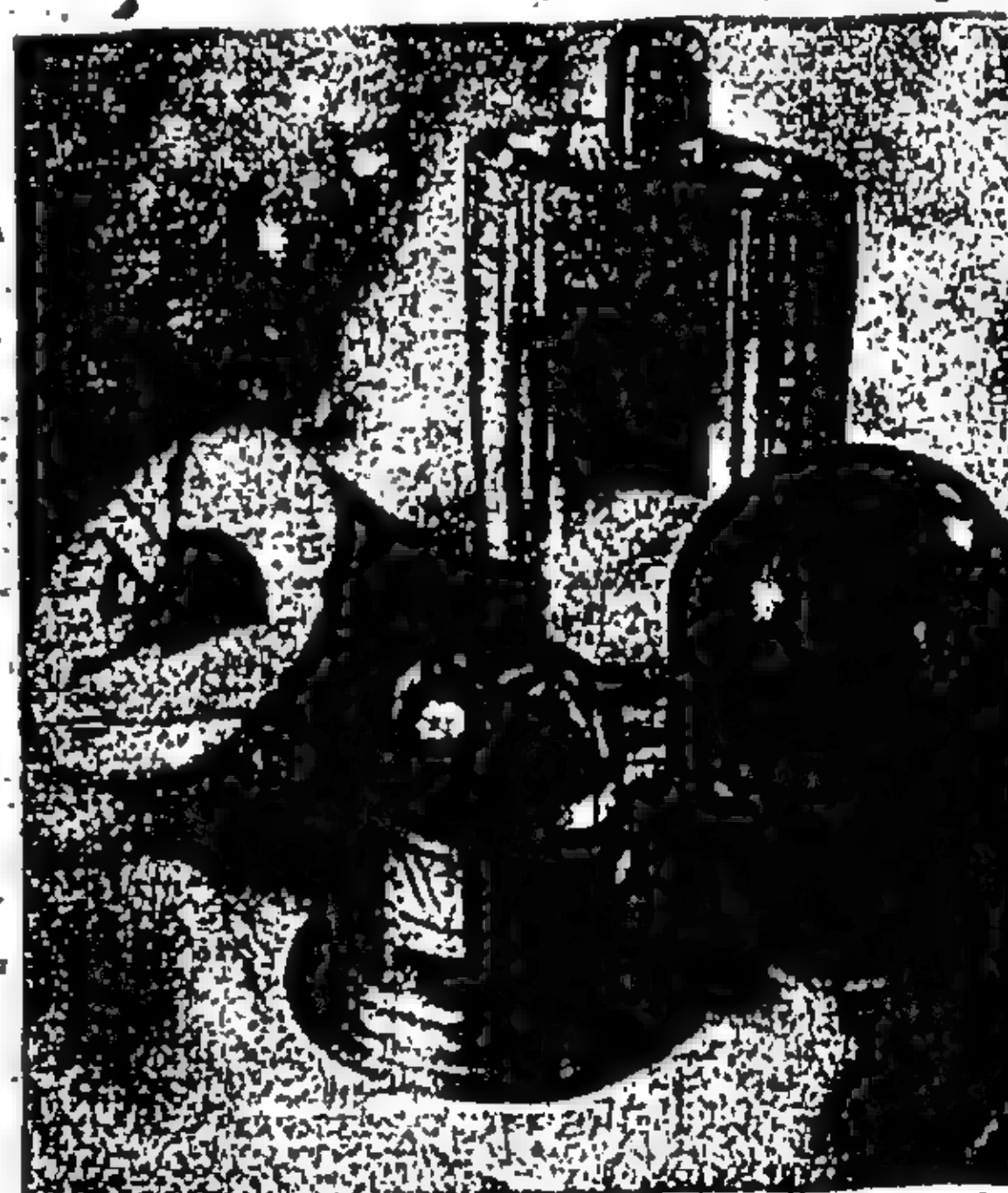
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CORPS ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps orders by Lieut.-Colonel H. B. L. Dowling, O.B.E. Commandant, Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps, Thursday, Nov. 15.

1. General

(a) The Miniature Range is allotted to the Adjutant (for examination) on Thursday, 22nd November, 1934.

(b) Checking of Address Register.—Officers demanding Units are requested to check the above Register with their Records during their Training in Camp.

In case of any Transfer, Resignation or Leave is omitted, they should inform the Adjutant by writing and not alter the Register themselves.

(c) Uniform-Shirts.—All recruits who have not been issued with Khaki Shirts will draw them from Store on Tuesday, 20th November, 1934.

2. Parade

(a) Corps Engineers.—Parade at Miniature Range at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 19th November, 1934.

(b) Machine Gun Battalion.—Parade at Belcher's Fort, parade at Fort at 6 p.m.

Dress: Jackets, Slacks, Caps, Belts, Frogs and Braces, Rifles, Bayonets and Gas Masks will be carried.

Extra luggage to be at Headquarters by 12 a.m. Friday, November 23. Training will finish at 10 p.m. on 25th November, 1934.

All names of members attending must be sent to C. S. M. by 19th November, 1934.

(b) Machine Gun Battalion: No. 3 (Antac) Company.—Parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 19th November, 1934.

The Company will proceed to Camp at Fanling on Friday, 23rd November. Trains will leave Kowloon at 5.08 p.m., 5.35 p.m. and 7.49 p.m.

Dress will be Marching Order as follows: Field Service Hats, K. D. Jackets and Shorts, Puttees and Hosiery, Black Boots of regular pattern, Forage Cap (carried in Haversack), Rifles, Slings and Bayonets, Belt, Pouches, Braces, Haversack, Water-bottle, Great Coat slung on the back and Box Respirators (slung). Rifles and Bayonets may be drawn from Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 19th November under C.Q.M.S. Sunley or between the hours of 8 a.m. to 12 noon, 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. or 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Week days (Wed-

nesdays, Saturdays and Sundays excepted).

(c) Corps Infantry. (Portuguese).—The Corps Infantry will parade at Headquarters on Tuesday, November, 20 at 5.30 p.m.

Platoon Commanders will instruct their respective Platoon in Field Signal &c. in preparation for Camp. Recruits will parade under C.S.M. Slattery for Arms and Foot Drill. Belts and Frogs must be used.

Camp.—The Company will proceed to Camp on November 23 by the 5.08 p.m. or 5.35 p.m. Train.

Orderly Officer.—20th November to 27th November—2/Lieut. F. P. Sequiera.

(d) Corps 1st Battery.—All ranks are requested to make an effort to attend the Shoot at Stonecutters Range on Thursday, 22nd November, details of which were contained in Battery Circular dated 1st November, 1934.

Names of those intending to be present must be sent to C.Q. 1st Battery by Monday, 19th November, 1934.

Dress.—Uniform, Slacks, Jackets, Blue Caps and Bandoliers.

(e) Armoured Car Section.—There will be no parade on Tuesdays until further notice.

3. Appointment

No. 1071, Private R. S. Meadows, Corps Machine Gun Battalion Headquarters, is appointed Lance Corporal with effect from 18th November, 1934.

4. Leave

No. 1007, Private A. F. Walkden, Armoured Car Section, granted leave from 13.11.34 to 5.12.34 inclusive.

No. 1366, Private C. L. Gregory, No. 1 Platoon, No. 1 (M.G.) Coy., granted two months leave as from 11.11.34 to 10.1.35.

No. 2083, Private C. E. Stone, No. 3 Platoon, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, granted six months leave as from 10.11.34 to 10.6.35.

No. 1684, L/Corporal H. S. V. Moskop, Machine Gun Troop, granted eight months leave as from 3.11.34 to 2.7.35.

5. Attachment

The following recruits will be attached to No. 1 (M.G.) Company for training and training purposes during Camp Training Season commencing from 18th November, 1934:

Privates W. J. Dyer, E. J. Porter, G. E. Roylance, G. L. Heytman, F. A. Broadbridge, J. D. Mackenzie, S. Baker, L. A. Smith, G. E. Lowe, A. W. Rowe, N. E. Broadbridge, S. A. Broadbridge, J. Winyard.

6. Strength

2244 Private J. R. Winyard, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, 2.11.34.

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(ed.) P. S. M. WILKINSON, Captain, Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

AFFILIATED UNITS

St John Nursing Detachment

1. General

(a) As it will not be possible to obtain the services of an examiner on Wednesday, 21st November, the examination in Home Nursing will take place at Volunteer Headquarters (Miniature Range) on Thursday, 22nd November, beginning at 5.30 p.m.

Will members who wish to be examined please inform the Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps by Tuesday, 20th November, 1934.

(b) Through the courtesy of Dr. J. H. Montgomery, occasional conducted tours of the Operating Theatre, Matilda Hospital, are available to members. There will be one on Sunday, 18th November at 11.30 a.m. and members desirous of attending should be at the Hospital at that hour. Tours on other dates can be arranged with the Lady Superintendent, Mrs. E. G. Stewart. (Tel. No. 24454).

2. Resignation
Leaving the Colony.—Mrs. M. G. Trail as from 15th November, 1934.

3. Parade
The eighth lecture on Home Nursing will take place at Volunteer Headquarters (Lecture Room) at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 19th November, 1934.

Practice for those qualified will be held at the same place and time (repeated).

(ed.) M. M. MELLOR, Acting Commandant, St. John Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

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SERIAL STORY

The Clue Of The Forgotten Murder:

By CARLETON KENDRAKE

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

When DAN BLEEKER, junior publisher of "The Blade," learns that CHARLES MORDEN, a well-known portrait painter, has been mysteriously killed, he determines to employ RUDY GRIFF, a famous criminologist, to solve the murder. Morden had been assigned to paint all the portraits of the members of the "Blade" staff, and it was known that he had been seen in the office of the junior publisher, giving the name of Cathay and accompanied by a girl called MARY TRIGG. Cathay was an impostor. A day later Morden is found dead. Shortly after that comes news that Cathay is dead—possibly of poison. Bleeker goes to see Rudy Griff.

CHAPTER IX

Bleeker spoke slowly. "You understand," he said, "that Morden was investigating Cathay's life. Cathay isn't what he's cracked up to be."

"How do you know that?" Griff asked.

"Because," said Bleeker, "I've been in the newspaper business too long to accept any small town celebrity at his face value."

"Riverview isn't exactly a small town," Griff pointed out.

"The same principle applies," Bleeker said. "It's a suburb, and as far as that's concerned I won't accept any man at his face value. Not unless he's a gangster, or a crook."

"That's one thing you find out from being in the newspaper business. You're a criminologist, Griff, you know crooks. I am a newspaper man, I know people. And this man Cathay is simply too good to be true. The president of the chamber of commerce, director of the bank, candidate for city councilman on a reform ticket. And his wife had fear in her eyes."

"Fear?" asked Griff.

"Fear," replied Bleeker. "She was afraid of something."

"Afraid of the newspaper?" asked Griff.

"Perhaps," Bleeker said. "But it looked to me as though she was too adept at covering up the fear to admit it recently acquired it. I would say it was something she had been living with for weeks or months."

"And there was some talk about Cathay's death being due to poison?"

"Apparently there was," Bleeker said, "but it's being hushed up. Cathay was an influential man in Riverview. The family have influential friends. There were two doctors on the case. One of the doctors thought there were circumstances surrounding the death that made it resemble poisoning. The other doctor attributed it to natural causes. He's signing a death certificate."

"There'll be no autopsy?" asked Griff.

"There's going to be an autopsy," Bleeker said grimly. "I'm going up to interview Bleeker, the editor of 'The Blade'."

"The Riverview Chronicle," the newspaper that was on the opposite side of the political fence from the Cathay side. Bleeker and I have exchanged favours in the past. He started investigating the Cathay death and then telephoned me that he was going to have to let off because of pressure that was being brought to bear on him by members of the chamber of commerce, of the luncheon club and various banking influences."

"In other words," Griff said, "Cathay's friends are trying to stop a scandal."

Bleeker nodded.

"Subject, of course," Griff went on, "to the fact that there's a strong probability that this was due to natural causes, and that the younger doctor simply made a mistake in diagnosis."

"That, of course, is a possibility," Bleeker said.

"Getting back to this woman angle," Griff told him, "I take it you feel Morden was murdered because he was on the trail of some woman who had been having an affair with Cathay. Is that right?"

"That's right," Griff said.

"Then obviously," Griff went on, "the woman would not have been guilty of the murder."

Bleeker stared at him. "How do you figure that out?" he asked.

"Quite simple. A woman's good name is, of course, an important possession to her. But a woman of the type who could carry on an affair with a man of the social prominence of Frank B. Cathay is probably the type of woman who does very much as she pleases. She's probably a woman who has an apartment of her own. Who comes and goes as she pleases and doesn't have to account to any man."

"That's reasonable," Bleeker agreed.

"Therefore," Griff went on, "such a woman would hardly commit murder to protect her so-called 'good name.' On the other hand, Cathay's good name involves political prestige, social prestige and rich financial returns."

"I see what you're getting at," Bleeker remarked.

"I'm not certain that you do," Griff told him. "Here's the point I had in mind. Let us suppose that Morden was about to contact or had contacted some woman who offered him an opportunity to get some information concerning Cathay. And we'll further suppose that that information was of a nature which would be derogatory to Cathay's character."

"Obviously," Bleeker went on to contact a woman he expected to get some information from the woman."

If he was murdered because of that contact, he was murdered by someone who was anxious to keep Morden from getting that information. Now then, let us put ourselves in the position of the murderer. Having



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eliminated Morden from the picture, what would be his logical next step? "You mean the woman?" Bleeker asked.

"Exactly," Griff said. "He would see that the woman was removed from the picture. Either by seeing that her lips were silenced, or by seeing that she was placed in a position where she was not readily accessible to those who were investigating Morden's death. Remember this, that the murderer knew that Morden was working for the newspaper. He knew that Morden was working to uncover evidence against Cathay. He doubtless surmised that Morden was making daily reports. He didn't know the nature of those reports. Morden told you over the telephone that he didn't wish to mention any names but the man who murdered him—and the crime indicates that it was a man—didn't know how much Morden had told you."

Bleeker nodded thoughtfully.

"Therefore," Griff said, "I would suggest that you do two things. That you concentrate upon finding Mary Briggs and that you make a complete investigation of every disappearance case where the party who disappeared was a woman, and that the time of disappearance was within the last 48 hours."

Bleeker's eyes glinted with appreciation.

"That," he said, "is an idea."

There was a moment of silence. Bleeker took the pipe from his mouth, scraped out the ashes and dropped the pipe into his pocket.

"You understand, Griff," he said, "this is the first time we've ever had occasion to employ you. I know something of your work from a standpoint of results, but I don't know how you work. Now just how much of this investigation will you take over, and just how much are we expected to do?"

"Let's not have any misunderstanding," Griff said. "You're to do it all."

"All?" asked Bleeker.

"Every bit of it," Griff said. "All I do is furnish ideas and correlate information. You get the facts. I fit them together and direct the search for additional facts."

"It virtually amounts," Bleeker said, "to putting our men at your disposal."

"You can hire private detectives if you wish," Griff said.

"Our men are better than private detectives."

"Then you can use them if it's economically advantageous for you to do so. But I don't gather any facts. All I do is interpret the facts that are gathered and suggest the direction in which a search should be prosecuted for additional facts. Also, I play human checkers."

"Human checkers?" Bleeker asked.

"That's what I call it," Griff said. "A lot of detectives monkey around with dead clues. They take some inanimate object and attach a great deal of importance to it. I don't. I feel that the solution of every crime depends upon the animate, rather than the inanimate. Not that I overlook inanimate clues. I try to notice such clues and to give them due importance, but I don't attach an undue importance to them."

"On the other hand, I don't try to follow a cold trail while our quarry sits still. I try to devise ways and means of keeping the quarry restless, keeping it moving around. Then it's always leaving a fresh trail. In that way, I keep moving my men so that they are forced to make some move."

"If you've ever hunted deer, you know what I mean. The hunter who tries to follow a cold trail doesn't get his bucks as regularly as the man who sits down some place on a rock and makes the deer keep moving."

"But," Bleeker said, "suppose you sit on a rock and the deer don't move?"

"He grinned reminiscently. 'I know, because I tried that last deer season.'"

"That's just the point I'm making," Griff said. "You've got to keep them

moving. You can do that by making some commotion elsewhere which makes them uneasy and apprehensive. Then they start moving around through the brush."

(To Be Continued.)

In the next instalment Sidney Griff makes the first move in his game of "human checkers."

CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

One of the unique features of "Twenty Million Sweethearts" the First National radio romance which opens to-morrow at the Alhambra, introductory broadcast by the Three

Radio Rogues, the famous imitators of the stars of the air. The three rogues—Jim Hollingsworth, Eddie Bartell and Henry Taylor, have so thoroughly perfected the art of imitating the human voice that it is practically impossible for the listener to tell whether he is hearing an imitation of the star or the star himself. In "Twenty Million Sweethearts" these three imitate a wide variety of radio-talent—including the most popular speakers and crooners. Their imitations for the picture include Ben Bernie, Russ Colombo, Singing Sam, Morton Downey, Arthur Tracy, the Street Singer, Rudy Vallee, Amos and Andy, Joe Penner, Kate Smith and Bing Crosby. This is but one of the many novel features in the picture which combines comedy drama and romance with the cuttiest musical hits of the year. The picture also introduces a new romantic theme in Dick Powell and Ginger Rogers as well as acting ability. Other specialty numbers include songs by the Four Mills Brothers and their guitar, and music by Ted Fio Rito and his band. Pat O'Brien has the leading comedy role while others in the cast include Allen Jenkins, Grant Mitchell, Joseph Cawthorne, Joan Wheeler, Henry O'Neill and Johnny Arthur. The picture was directed by Ray Enright from the screen play by Warren Duff and Harry Sauber based on the story by Paul Finder Moss and Jerry Wald. The music and lyrics are by Harry Warren and Al Dubin.

"Death Takes A Holiday"

Having won one Motion Picture Academy Award with his thrilling double role in "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" Frederic March makes another bid for this distinction in "Death Takes A Holiday," the Paramount picture directed by Mitchell Leisen which opens on Sunday at the Queen's Theatre. As in the Robert Louis Stevenson story, the chief character role is the Alberto Casella drama, "Death Takes A Holiday," played by March, is a dual personality type, and here again, March handles the part with consummate ease and convincing realism. Leisen, the director, frankly believes that March's role will receive considerable attention from the Academy. In the first part of "Death Takes A Holiday," March masquerades as a "shadow," a sinister figure, capable of destruction at will. Intervening scenes find him transformed into a dashing Russian prince, a gay romancer, taking his first fling at love and life, but always conscious that in three days he will be again the "shadow." As the Russian prince, March enters the home of a distinguished family as a mysterious guest, seeking the meaning of love, to test the young women of the village in turn. Each of them is attracted to him, but only one understands his true personality and is willing to love him withal. The supporting cast is notable for its great names. Headed by Evelyn Venable, the young stage actress who created a sensation in her first screen role with Dorothea Wieck in "Cradle Song," it includes Bill Guy Standing, Kent Taylor, Kathleen Howard and Henry Travers. The play was adapted into

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"Grand Canary"

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"Straight Is the Way"

Drama . . . pathos . . . human interest . . . and a fair sprinkling of humour—all these are to be found in the new picture, "Straight Is the Way," which opened yesterday at the Queen's Theatre. It is a story that requires the services of finished actors, for it is the gripping drama of the travails of one of New York's East Side families—and of the problems of life and love that entangle a returned ex-convict who is determined to keep to the straight and narrow path. Franchot Tone tops the cast with his portrayal of Benny, the boy just out of prison. It is an entirely new characterization for Tone, one proving his ability to handle difficult dramatic roles, and should boost him a notch higher towards stardom. May Robson, as the aging mother who fears the return of her boy to his old habits, gives a performance equalled only by her work in "Lady for a Day." Gladys George, recently of the New York stages, makes her screen debut as Shirley, the girl who tries but fails, to win back Benny's love. She brings a new type of "camp" to the screen and we predict bigger things for her. Karen Morley, after a too-long absence from pictures, makes a triumphant return as Bertha, the girl who has been faithful to Benny through his long imprisonment. Other good performances are contributed by Jack La Rue, C. Henry Gordon, and William Bakewell.

"Servants' Entrance"

When Janet Gaynor has a screen father, that's news. And when she selects the same actor to be her parent in two pictures, that's even more unusual. As a rule the films' tiniest redheads are an orphan in her pictures, or at least, there is no visible father anywhere in the background. In the 20 starring offerings she has made for Fox Film to date she has had only five "fathers," William Collier, Sr., Robert McWade, Duff Dudley Diggar, Will Rogers and Walter Connolly, who was her father in "Paddy, the Next Best Thing." In her latest vehicle, "Servants' Entrance," in which she is co-starred with Lew Ayres, Miss Gaynor's role manufacturer, and she chose Walter Connolly again to play the role. Ned Sparks, Louise Dresser, Astrid Allwyn, G. P. Huntley, Jr., Siegfried Rumold, Astrid Allwyn and other favourites are in the cast of the picture, a hilarious comedy-romance of a new type in Gaynor annals. Winfield Sheehan produced it and Frank Lloyd directed from Sanborn Raphaelson's screen play of

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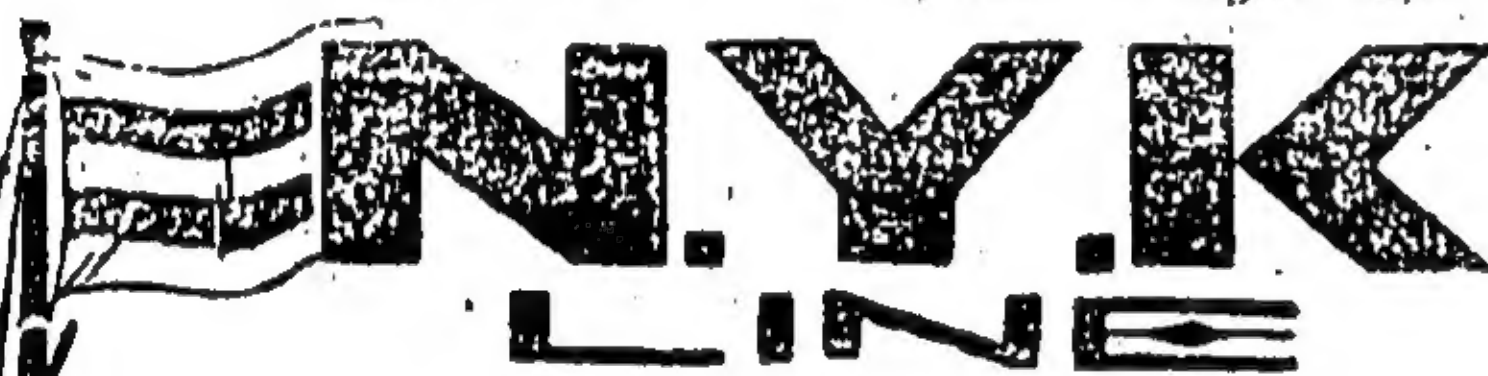
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By W. E. McKenney

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▲ K 5 3	W	7 5 4 2
▲ K 5 4 2	N	5
▲ K 5	E	7 6 3
▲ J 7 6 3	S	7 6 3 2
▲ J 10 9	Dealer	▲ 7 6 3 2
▲ A 6		
▲ K Q 10 8 4 2		
▲ A 10		
▲ Q 5 1		

as a fine card player, but her partner was making her debut in major competition and neither of the girls anticipated the splendid victory.

However, when a strip and end play can be executed as beautifully as Miss Bonwit did in today's hand, it proclaims in loud tones the reason for their success.

Miss Bonwit sat South and became declarer in a six-heart contract. The opening lead was the queen of spades, taken in the closed hand with the ace.

A small heart was led to the dummy's ace and the king of spades returned. A small spade followed, was trumped in the South, and Bonwit led the king of hearts.

When East showed out, Miss Bonwit realized that the trumps were banded against her. To continue hearts would be suicidal.

So she began an elimination play by clearing the clubs and diamonds, leaving the queen, ten and eight of trumps in her hand and Jack, nine and seven in the West.

She then led the eight of hearts, forcing West to take the trick with the nine and lead up to her queen, ten, which gave her the 12th and 13th tricks to fulfill her contract.

Today's Contract Problem
 If East plays the contract at six no trump and South opens the queen of hearts, what play must South make later to defeat the contract?

▲ J 10 9	W	7 6 5
▲ J 10 8 6 3	N	5
▲ J 10 6 4	E	7 6 3
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▲ A 4 3 2		
▲ Q 10 9 7 6 3		
▲ None		
▲ J 6		

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EUROPEAN WOMAN CONVICTED

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her away. It is for the Government to decide. She ought to be given an opportunity to look for work and be allowed to live where she is at present or at the Government Civil Hospital.

Sergeant Mottram: The Medical Authorities have ceased to regard defendant as a patient, your Worship.

Defendant: They have done that for a long time.

Sergeant Mottram: I understand from Dr. Dovey that when she was convalescing at the Victoria Hospital she was given an opportunity to look for work but she never availed herself of the opportunity.

Defendant: Excuse me, I was never given the opportunity. The subject was never broached. Even when I was taken to the Police Station, I was never told a thing by anyone. It was not until I walked into the office that I knew.

His Worship: Isn't there any place in Hongkong or Kowloon where we can put her up?

Sergeant Mottram: The only accommodation I know of is the House of Detention for these cases.

His Worship: There's nothing for it then. I'll make an order to place her in the House of Detention until arrangements can be made for her.

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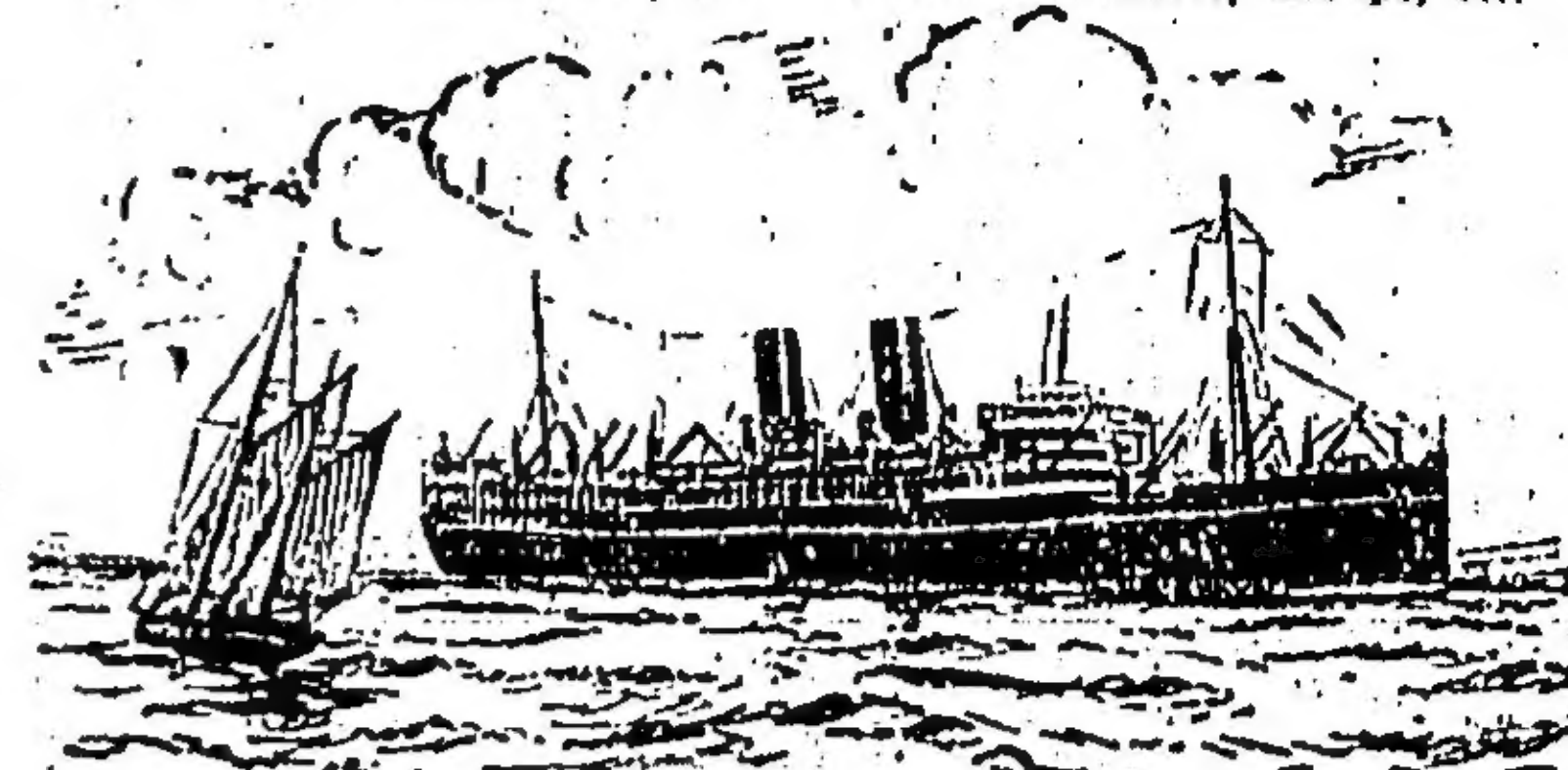
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Red Army Between Two Fires

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HUNAN WAITING FOR ONSLAUGHT

Canton, Nov. 16. The centre of anti-Red fighting has transferred to Southern Hunan, following the complete failure of the Red invaders to make inroads over the Kwangtung border.

The Reds will have to fight against overwhelming odds in their next attempt to force their way across the southern districts of Hunan, as the Central Government troops in co-operation with the Hunan provincial army, have completed a strong defence line to prevent the Reds from moving into the western quarter of Hunan.

At the same time, the Canton military authorities, under orders from the Nanchang Anti-Red Headquarters, have decided to send the crack units of Cantonese troops on the northern front, numbering about 30,000 men consisting of the 3rd Division and the Training Division, into Hunan. These Cantonese forces will march into Hunan along two routes under the command of General Li Han-yun, who will act in close co-operation with General Ho Chien, Commander of the Hunanese Forces at Hengchow. Central News.

IRON AND STEEL FEDERATION

NEW CHAIRMAN APPOINTED

London, Nov. 15. Sir Andrew Duncan, Chairman of the Central Electricity Board, has been appointed Independent Chairman of the Iron and Steel Federation, which includes four-

BRITISH BOND ACTIVITY

Old Consols At 30-Years' High

London, Nov. 15. There were further big movements in quotations of gilt-edged securities on the stock markets to-day.

Old Consols 2½ per cent. reached 92¼, the highest for 30 years, and War Loan 3½ per cent. touched 109½. The markets closed, however, with prices well under the best, with War Loan 108¾ and consols 91¼. —British Wireless.

ROYAL WEDDING SPECTACLE

SPECIAL STANDS ON PROCESSION ROUTE

London, Nov. 15. Special stands for spectators to witness the processions to and from Westminster Abbey on the occasion of the wedding of the Duke of Kent to Princess Marina are being erected in Parliament Square and elsewhere along the route.

Arrangements are also being made by the Board of Works to carry out a scheme of decorations, mainly of flags, suspended from horizontal poles fixed to the roofs and upper windows of public buildings. Special stands and buildings will also be decorated with the Duke's emblems and the national flags of Greece and Denmark.

A rehearsal of the procession, in which squadrons of Household Cavalry took part, was held early this morning to time the procession from Buckingham Palace to the Abbey. —British Wireless.

teen industries and more than forty Associations.

It is recognised that he will play an important part in the future development of a scheme for the reorganisation of industry, which is in an advanced stage. —British Wireless.

The Medway's Commander Arrives

CAPT. COLTART IN HONGKONG

Amongst the arrivals on the P. and O. liner Ranpura yesterday was Captain Cyril G. B. Coltart, who is to take over command of H.M.S. Medway and the 4th. Submarine Flotilla, vice Captain Alan Poland.

Captain Coltart is well-known to many of the older residents in Hongkong for he has served four previous commissions with the China Fleet, being attached to H.M.S. Marazion, the L. Class submarines and also the D. Class.

Prior to coming to the Far East to take up his present appointment Captain Coltart was Chief of Staff to Rear Admiral N. E. Lawrence, C.B., D.S.O., of H.M.S. Dolphin. Captain Coltart formerly played for the Navy Rugby XV.

GEN. MACARTHUR TO BE RELIEVED?

ROOSEVELT'S MIND NOW MADE UP

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Nov. 15. General Douglas MacArthur, Chief of Staff of the United States Army, will remain in office only one month beyond the expiration of his term of appointment, it was announced to-day.

President Roosevelt has asked General MacArthur to remain at his post until the new year. This is the latest of several conflicting reports.

While it is likely that General MacArthur will then be displaced, the course of the Government has not yet been definitely decided. It is understood. —United Press.

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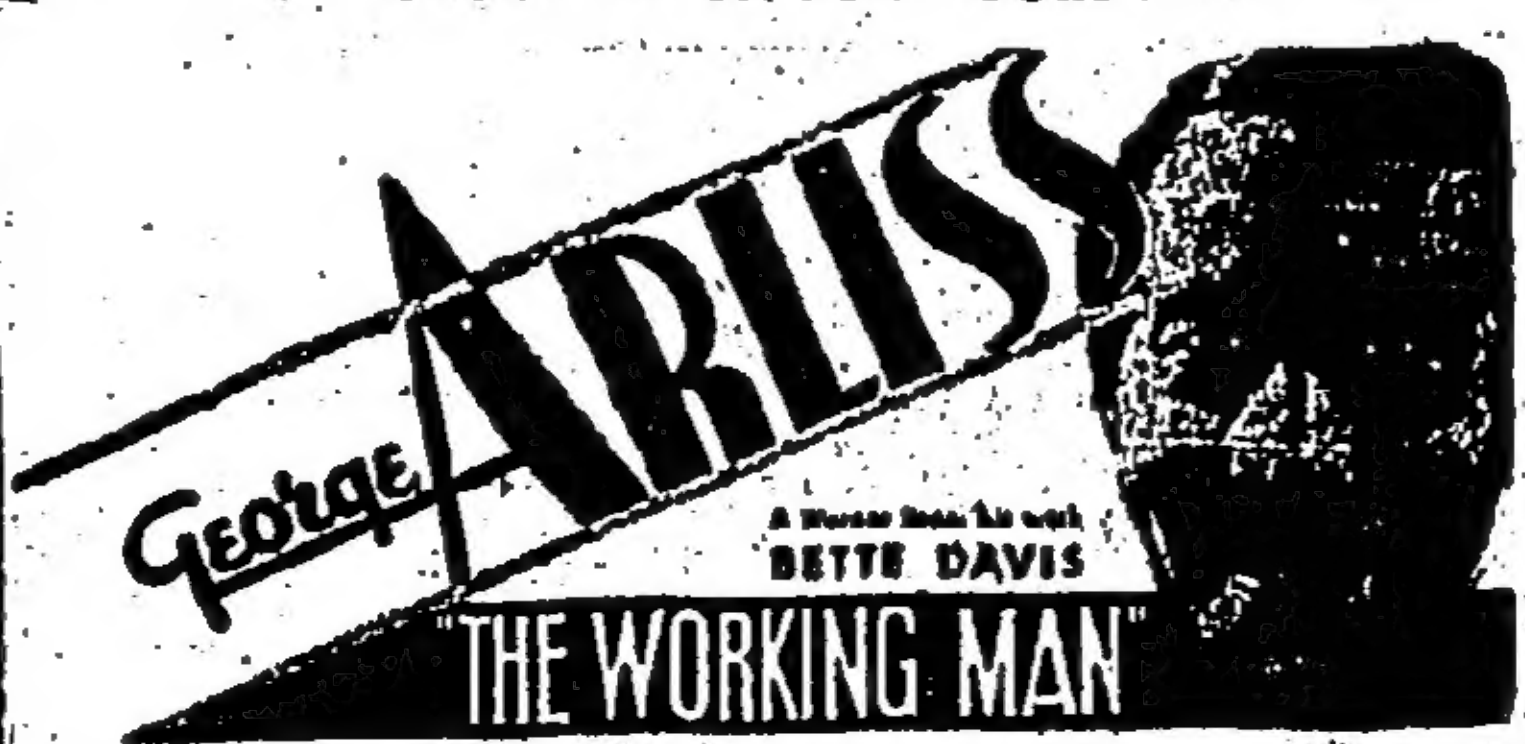
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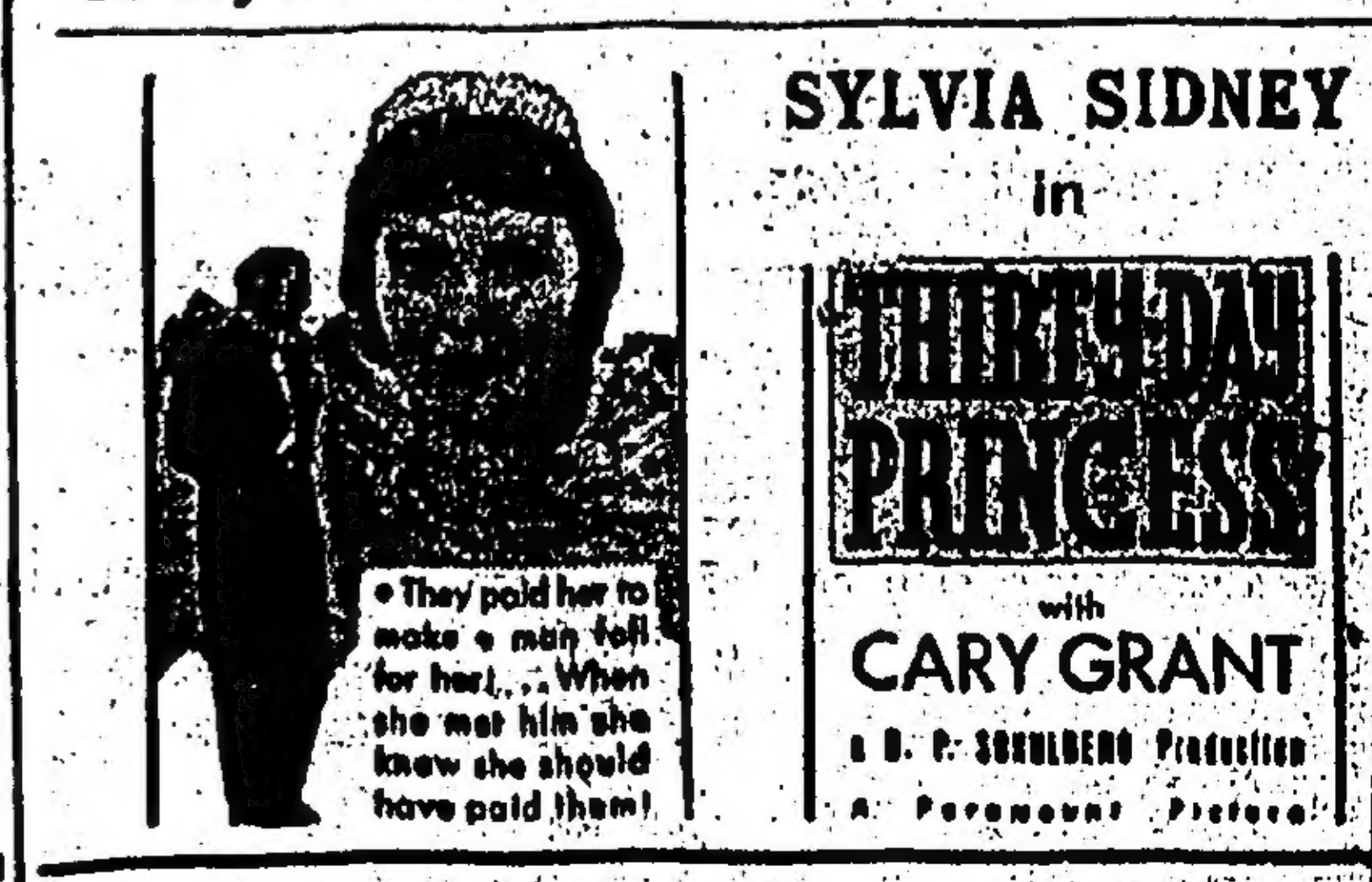
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